

**REPRESENTATIVE GERALD
R. FORD, JR. (R., Mich.)**
Former University of Michigan
football letterman . . . Center on



1934 Wolverine team and was voted by his teammates most valuable player that year . . . Assistant football coach at Yale from 1938 to 1941 while attending law school there . . . Ford, 35, served in Navy in South Pacific during World War II . . . His father was Kent County Republican chairman who resigned when his son announced his candidacy . . . Succeeded to seat held by GOP Representative Bartel J. Jonkman . . . Lives in East Grand Rapids, Mich. . . . No pessimist, he married last October only 18 days before the voters went to the polls.

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July 11, 1949

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

My dear Congressman:

I have just read your gracious comments regarding the work of the FBI and my administration of its activities which appeared in the Congressional Record on July 8, 1949, and I want to thank you for the confidence you expressed in this organization on that occasion.

It is always extremely gratifying to learn of such favorable observations and I do hope this organization will always merit your support.

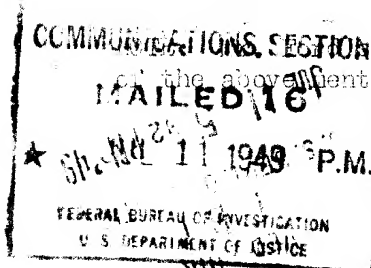
With expressions of my highest esteem and best regards,

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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comments are set forth on Page 9340
of the above mentioned Congressional Record.

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GERALD R. FORD, JR.
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

September 16, 1952

Mr. Louis B. Nichols
Assistant to the Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir -

Upon my return to western Michigan I was contacted by Mr. [redacted] Grand Rapids 9, Michigan who is deeply interested in a proposed school for delinquent boys in, I believe, Pineville, Kentucky. It is my understanding that a Minister and his family settled in that area during the 1930's and have built up a highly respected home and school for orphans. I am further informed that this Minister has been contacted by a Federal Judge by the name of Ford (no relation) and a Mr. Walworth from the F.B.I. about the possibility of setting up a rehabilitation school for delinquent boys. I am told that the funds for this school or a major part thereof would come from some agency in the federal government and [redacted] believes the source would be from the F.B.I.

I was unable to supply him with any factual information. Can you supply me with the background on this situation?

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Perhaps I should tell you of [redacted] interest. He is an active lay churchman in Grand Rapids and [redacted] employed by General Motors in this community. He is about 35 years old, married and the father of two small children. The Minister who sponsored and operates the school for orphans in Kentucky has interested [redacted] and his family in coming to Kentucky to help him with the work with orphans but more specifically with the proposed project for delinquent boys. [redacted] is planning to give up a \$5,000 a year job to devote his time and efforts to this very worthwhile purpose with little or no monetary compensation. He is truly one who deserves our respect and admiration.

Before taking the step I thought he ought to know a few details and since he believes the project will have some connection with the F.B.I. and the Federal Courts, I am writing you for any information at your disposal. Needless to say, I thank you in

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Mr. Louis B. Nichols

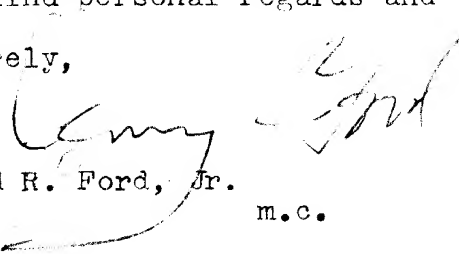
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September 16, 1952

advance for any aid and assistance. Would you write me
in Grand Rapids at your earliest possible convenience.

With kind personal regards and very best wishes.

Sincerely,


Gerald R. Ford, Jr.

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Grand Rapids address: 227 Federal Bldg., Zone 1

Mr. Nichols

September 18, 1952

M. A. Jones

REQUEST FROM CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD, JR.,
FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING
PROPOSED SCHOOL FOR DELINQUENT BOYS IN
PINEVILLE, KENTUCKY
RECEIVED (CRIME RECORDS)

PURPOSE:

By letter dated September 16, 1952, addressed to you, Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr., Member of Congress, explained that one [redacted] Grand Rapids 9, Michigan, had contacted him concerning a proposed school for delinquent boys which the Congressman believed was to be located in Pineville, Kentucky. [redacted] advised that a minister in the Pineville area has been contacted by a Federal judge named Ford and a Mr. Walworth from the FBI about this school, and [redacted] believes that part of the funds for this school will come from the FBI. Inasmuch as [redacted] is exceedingly interested in this project and plans to relinquish his occupation in order to devote full time to the project, the Congressman felt that [redacted] should have additional information regarding the matter. In view of this, the Congressman requested information from the FBI.

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BACKGROUND:

Bufiles reflect that this Bureau has no employee by the name of Walworth. There is, however, a Special Agent Carlton H. Wolfarth currently assigned to the Philadelphia Office. He EOD as clerk 4-1-41, and was appointed Special Agent 1-29-51. Now GS-10, he has been assigned since 1941 to Seat of Government, Washington Field Office, New Agents' School, Buffalo, and Philadelphia.

The Department of Justice Register reflects that there is a District Judge in Lexington, Kentucky, named Hiram Church Ford.

Bufiles were checked for a record of [redacted] but none was found. There also was no record in Bufiles of any sort of juvenile school in Pineville, Kentucky.

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Memo to Mr. Nichols

September 18, 1952

The telephone book of Pineville, Kentucky, was found to contain no record of such a school. From this book there was obtained the names of three ministers, [redacted] and [redacted] Bufiles contain no record of these three men.

In Bureau Library, the book State and National Correctional Institutions dated June, 1952, reflected no such institution in Pineville, Kentucky.

ACTION:

The foregoing data is submitted for your information should you wish to communicate with Congressman Ford.

September 19, 1952

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
227 Federal Building
Grand Rapids 1, Michigan

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Dear Jerry

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9-19-52 I have your letter of the 16th regarding a contact you have had with [redacted] on the proposed school for delinquent boys in Pineville, Kentucky. There is a Federal Judge Hiram Church Ford in Lexington, Kentucky. While we do have an Agent by the name of Walworth, certainly it would be beyond the scope and function of the FBI to take any active part in setting up a school for delinquent boys. As a matter of fact, we have no record of such a school in our files.

I would think you would be perfectly sound in advising your friend to go into the full matter most carefully.

With every good wish,

Sincerely,

L. B. Nichols

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November 5, 1952

PERSONAL

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan

My dear Congressman:

It gives me a great deal of pleasure
to join with your many friends in again having
the opportunity of congratulating you upon your
re-election to Congress.

My associates and I deeply appreciate
the confidence you have shown in us through the
years, and I know you will not hesitate to con-
tact us in the event we can be of any assistance
to you during the coming Session.

With expressions of my highest esteem
and best regards,

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Mr. Nichols recommends a letter of congratulations.

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GERALD R. FORD, JR.
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

November 10, 1952

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover -

Your very thoughtful letter of November 5th
congratulating me upon my re-election to the
Congress has been received.

Your expressions of confidence in me are deeply
appreciated.

I look forward to future contact with your very
fine organization. It certainly has a "top notch"
Administrator.

Kindest personal regards and very best wishes.

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford, Jr.

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November 3, 1954

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Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan

My dear Congressman:

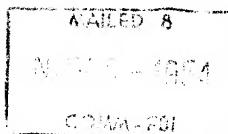
I want to join with your many friends in
extending our congratulations upon your re-election
to the Eighty-fourth Congress.

We hope that you will have a most success-
ful term and that you will feel free to call upon
us in the event we can be of service in matters of
mutual interest.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Letter per instructions from Mr. Nichols.
We wrote him in 1952. (R)

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: February 25, 1955

FROM : L. B. Nichols

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SUBJECT:

LOWELL, MICHIGAN
CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD, JR.
(R-MICHIGAN)

By reference from the Director's Office at 3:17 P.M. February 23, 1955, Wick in my office talked on the telephone with [redacted] Administrative Assistant to Congressman Gerald R. Ford, Jr. (R-Michigan).

[redacted] said the Congressman has received correspondence from influential citizens in and around Lowell, Michigan, relative to the residence in that city of one [redacted] or [redacted] said it appears that [redacted] and his wife moved to Lowell some three or four years ago, and even to this date, none of the local citizenry knows much about them. [redacted] himself claims to be [redacted] has [redacted] in a barn on his property, is active in the Lowell Rotary Club, and is currently running for a position on the city council. The couple, said [redacted] spoke with a Swedish accent.

[redacted] said the Congressman wants to make it very clear that no complaints relating to subversive activities or of illegal activities on the part of [redacted] had been received by him from any of the prominent people in Lowell. It would appear, said [redacted] that the matter of [redacted] background is more than "idle curiosity," inasmuch as [redacted] is now interesting himself in civic affairs and deliberately avoids answering questions concerning his background or that of his wife. The only thing known about [redacted] is that he has a son by a first marriage who either is or was employed in [redacted] The Congressman wondered whether the Bureau could be of any help whatsoever to him on a confidential basis. Wick told [redacted] a check would be made and we would be in touch with him.

CHECK OF BUREAU FILES:

This Bureau has not conducted an investigation of [redacted] (or [redacted] We did, however, in the early part of 1954 conduct an applicant investigation under the character "Atomic Energy Act Employee" on [redacted] Investigation was completed in mid-June 1954 and reports submitted to the Atomic Energy

cc - Mr. Boardman
cc - Mr. Rosen
cc - Mr. Holloman

REW:jbg

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Memorandum to Mr. Tolson

February 25, 1955

Commission. During the course of the investigation, we developed information that the applicant was the son of [redacted] who was born in Italy and was by occupation a [redacted]. The applicant's mother, [redacted] was born in Poland and was by occupation [redacted]. Both mother and father became naturalized citizens. In about 1948 [redacted] obtained a divorce from [redacted] her husband, and is currently married to one [redacted], in whom Congressman Ford is interested, apparently remarried and moved to Lowell, Michigan. The [redacted] couple resided at [redacted] Long Island, New York, and [redacted] New York City. The investigation of the applicant for the Atomic Energy Commission position was most favorable and no derogatory data was developed concerning either parent.

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ACTION TAKEN:

Wick told [redacted] at 10:30 A.M. February 24, 1955, that we could not be of much assistance to the Congressman, but for his confidential information, this Bureau had not conducted investigation of [redacted]. For that reason, we, therefore, could not tell him one way or the other whether [redacted] is what he purports to be. [redacted] was further advised that it is correct the son of [redacted] made application with the Atomic Energy Commission for employment with that agency, and during the course of that investigation, we developed information that his father was born in Italy, came to this country where he was naturalized a U. S. citizen, and is a chemical engineer by occupation, having been employed in New York city in that capacity in recent years.

[redacted] said he would keep this information in confidence and wanted the Director to know the Congressman would be most grateful.

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November

PERSONA

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan

My dear Congressman:

Congratulations on your re-election
and I hope you will have a most successful term.
for the support you have given us over the years, a
to know that we will be only too glad to assist you v

Sincerely yours,

A. Edgar

NOTE: Letter per Mr. Nichols' instructions. Let

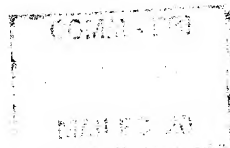
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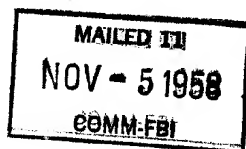
Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan

My dear Congressman:

On the occasion of your re-election to Congress,
I wanted to drop a short note of congratulations and best wishes.
Your many friends in this Bureau join with me in the hope that
your term in office will meet with every success, and we want
you to feel free to let us know whenever we can be of service.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



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GERALD R. FORD, JR.
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

WASHINGTON, D. C., ADDRESS:
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN, ADDRESS:
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COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Nease	✓
Mr. Parsons	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tamm	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	✓
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Mr. Holloman	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

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November 7, 1958

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Please accept my sincerest thanks for your kind note of November 5th congratulating me on my re-election to the Congress.

You may be certain I shall continue to the utmost in my efforts on behalf of sound Government on the Federal level, and that I will continue to defend in Congress the principles of a free government which we both serve.

With kind personal regards.

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford, Jr., M. C.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. WELTE, SECTION CHIEF

FROM : H. J. EDGERTON *HE* SUPERVISOR

DATE: 1-19-59

SUBJECT: HONORABLE GERALD R. FORD, JR.
REPUBLICAN - MICHIGAN
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W. C. Sullivan

For the benefit of the Director and the Bureau the following information is submitted on Congressman Gerald R. Ford, Jr., as a potential Congressional contact on matters of interest to the Bureau.

BACKGROUND

1. Congressman from 5th Congressional District of Michigan.
2. Member of House Committee on Appropriations.
3. Elected to Congress 11-2-48, Eighty-first Congress, and now serving 6th consecutive term having been re-elected on 11-4-58.
4. Attorney - graduate of Yale University Law School.
5. Age 45.
6. Married - 3 sons and one daughter.
7. Home - Grand Rapids, Michigan.

I have known Mr. Ford personally since 1941 when he was assistant football coach and professor at the University of Grand Rapids, Michigan. He is from a very prominent family in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he was engaged in the practice of law prior to being elected to Congress. Mr. Ford is considered by Michigan Republican Congressmen as highly capable and the most respected and influential member of that delegation. He is considered a strong possibility as Republican candidate for Governor of Michigan and declined such an offer in 1956. He is a close personal friend of John Hannah, President of Michigan State University. Mr. Hannah was President Eisenhower's first Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and is presently Chairman of the Civil Rights Commission.

Mr. Ford has told me that he has the highest respect for the Director and the work of the Bureau. ~~SI~~ ~~Highly~~ ~~1962~~ ~~comment~~ Mr. Ford as a contact in the event his services are needed on matters of interest to the Bureau. If I can be of any assistance in this regard I would be happy to oblige.

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December 2, 1959

GERALD R. FORD
Born: July 14, 1913
Omaha, Nebraska

Reference is made to your request that you be furnished the results of any investigation conducted concerning the captioned person, wherein information of a subversive nature was developed. You are advised that an applicant-type investigation was conducted by the FBI in 1942 concerning the captioned individual. The aforementioned investigation revealed no pertinent derogatory information concerning Ford. (67-221008)

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Req. rec'd 11/19/59
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NOTE: Mr. C. E. Gauthier, ONI, requested a search for main subversive files only. He advised that only copies of investigative reports of the results of investigation were requested. Reason: Global Strategy Conference to be held at Naval War College in June, 1960.

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November 9, 1960

PERSONAL

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan

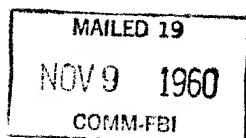
My dear Congressman:

You have the heartiest congratulations
of your many friends in the FBI upon the occasion of
your re-election to the United States House of Repre-
sentatives.

My associates and I join in the hope
that your efforts in serving your constituents will
meet with every success, and we trust you will not
hesitate to call upon us whenever we can be of
service.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,



1 - Detroit

NOTE: There have been cordial relations with Ford. He was
congratulated on 1958 election.

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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: 12-7-61

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD, JR. (R-MICH.)

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Today, [] in the office of Congressman Gerald R. Ford, Jr., called and spoke to SA [] in my office. He said that he had been requested by the Congressman to inquire whether it would be possible to get an 8x10 dull-finished photograph of the Director for the Congressman. [] said that he was not aware of the purpose of the Congressman's request. We enjoy cordial relations with Congressman Ford who is a member of the Appropriations Committee. He has been a member of Congress since 1948 and by letter of 11-9-60, the Director congratulated him upon his re-election to Congress. A dull-finished copy of the official photograph of the Director is attached.

RECOMMENDATION:

That someone in my office deliver the attached dull-finished official photograph of the Director to the office of Congressman Gerald R. Ford, Jr.

Enclosure

1 - Mr. Jones

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January 29, 1962

PERSONAL

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
House of Representatives
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Congressman:

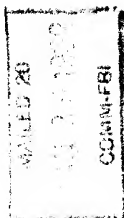
I was very sorry to learn of the passing of your father and want to extend to you my deepest sympathy in your great loss. Although I realize there is little one can say to ease your sorrow at a time such as this, I do hope you derive some consolation from the knowledge that the thoughts of your friends are with you.

If there is anything I can do to assist you at this time, please do not hesitate to call on me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Detroit



NOTE: We have enjoyed cordial relations with Congressman Ford over the years. He has been congratulated on being re-elected to office. Our last contact with him was in December, 1961.

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November 7, 1962

PERSONAL

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan

My dear Congressman:

It gave me a great deal of pleasure to learn
that you will again serve in Congress.

We in the FBI appreciate the fine assistance
you have given us through the years and I want you to know
that if there is anything we can do to help you, please do
not fail to let us know.

With kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Detroit

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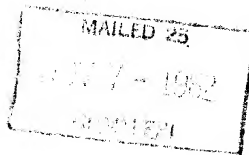
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1 - Mr. Callahan

NOTE: Cordial relations. Congressman Ford is a member of the
Appropriations Committee. Letters of congratulations upon his
re-election have been sent since 1952.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 1-7-63

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD, JR.
(R - MICHIGAN)

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Congressman Ford represents the Fifth District of Michigan and is a Republican from Grand Rapids. He was elected to the 81st Congress in 1948 and has been re-elected to subsequent Congresses. Congressman Ford is on the House Appropriations Committee.

We have enjoyed cordial relations with Congressman Ford, whom the Director has congratulated on his re-elections to Congress since 1952. Ford was investigated as a Bureau applicant (Agent) in early 1942 and the investigation was discontinued before completion. The results of the investigation were favorable except for information that he was an isolationist and active in organizing an American First committee while at Yale University. He has been complimentary of the FBI and the Director in the "Congressional Record" and in 1961 he was furnished a photograph of the Director. Cordial correspondence has been exchanged and he has invited the Director to make several speeches.

In view of Congressman Ford's friendly attitude toward the FBI and the fact that he is a member of the House Appropriations Committee and will probably be reappointed to this Committee in the next session of Congress, it is felt he should be presented a copy of the Director's new book, "A Study of Communism." The House Appropriations Committee, of course, is very important to us, and it is felt such a gesture would be very beneficial in connection with our Hill contact program.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Director autograph a copy of his new book to Congressman Ford and that it be returned to your office so that it can be personally presented to him as soon as possible after Congress convenes this month.

1 - Mr. DeLoach

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TO : Mr. Rosen

DATE: December 2, 1963

FROM : Mr. Scatterday

SUBJECT: CONGRESSMAN HALE BOGGS
(D - LOUISIANA)
CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD, JR.
(R - MICHIGAN)

Mr. Tolson has asked for information in Bureau files concerning captioned individuals.

There is attached a memorandum dated January 7, 1963, containing information in Bureau files regarding Congressman Ford. There is no additional pertinent information in Bureau files subsequent to January, 1963.

There is also attached a memorandum dated May 16, 1962, setting forth information relative to Congressman Boggs.

In addition to the information contained in the memorandum of May 16, 1962, Bureau files indicate that in July, 1962, the Bureau received a telegram from the opponent of Congressman Boggs referring to a political advertisement placed by Boggs which quoted the Director as telling Boggs: "My associates and I are particularly grateful to you." This statement was followed by a quotation from Congressman Francis E. Walter, Chairman, House Un-American Activities; regarding Boggs' fight against the spread of communism. It was necessary to contact Boggs' opponent and inform him that the Director could not endorse any candidate for political reasons. The quotation Boggs attributed to the Director in his campaign literature was contained in a February 13, 1962, letter to him in reply to his letter forwarding a news story regarding an address Boggs had made which had referred to the Bureau and its ability to investigate communist infiltration without assistance of vigilante groups.

Except for the difficulties mentioned above our relations with Congressman Boggs have generally been favorable and the Director congratulated him on his re-election in 1962.

ACTION: None, for information.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: December 12, 1963

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

DATE: 10-31-2007
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ASSASSINATION OF THE PRESIDENT

I had a long talk this morning with Congressman Gerald R. (Gerry) Ford (Michigan) in his office. He asked that I come up to see him. Upon arriving he told me he wanted to talk in the strictest of confidence. This was agreed to.

Ford told me he was somewhat disturbed about the manner in which Chief Justice Warren was carrying on his Chairmanship of the Presidential Commission. He explained that the first mistake that Warren made was his attempt to establish a "one man commission" by appointing a Chief Counsel, Warren Olney, that was his own protege. Ford stated that after the mention of Olney's name by the Chief Justice, at their first meeting, Allen Dulles, former Director of CIA, protested quite violently. Because of Dulles' protest, the other members told Warren that they would like to know more about Olney prior to giving their consent.

On the occasion of their second meeting, Ford and Hale Boggs joined with Dulles. Hale Boggs told Warren flatly that Olney would not be acceptable and that he (Boggs) would not work on the Commission with Olney. Warren put up a stiff argument but a compromise was made when the name of Lee Rankin was mentioned. Warren stated he knew Rankin and could work with him.

Ford told me that he was currently having problems inasmuch as the majority of the members of the Commission desired to go along with the recommendation made in Deputy Attorney General Katzenbach's letter to the Commission dated 12-9-63. In this letter, Katzenbach recommended that the Commission make an immediate press release pointing out that the FBI report clearly showed there was no international conspiracy or collusion and that Oswald was a loner. Ford stated he was a minority of one that did not want to give out any press release until the Commission had had a thorough opportunity to review and discuss the FBI report. (I noted that the report was on his desk at the time of our meeting.)

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Evans
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Jones

This is my view point.

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DeLoach to Mohr 12-12-63
Re: Assassination of the President

I told Ford in strict confidence that the Director concurred with his viewpoint. I mentioned that our investigation thus far had conclusively shown that Oswald operated by himself and that Ruby additionally was a loner. However, FBI investigation was still pending on a large number of rumors, speculation and gossip and it, therefore, would be quite unfair for the Commission to take a stand prior to all the evidence being turned in. Ford stated this was his point entirely and that although he was a minority of one he intended to stick to his point. (C)

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(C) Ford indicated he would keep me thoroughly advised as to the activities of the Commission. He stated this would have to be on a confidential basis, however, he thought it should be done. He also asked if he could call me from time to time and straighten out questions in his mind concerning our investigation. I told him by all means he should do this. He reiterated that our relationship would, of course, remain confidential.

We have had excellent relations with Congressman Ford for many years. He has been given an autographed copy of the Director's book "A Study of Communism" and has been in touch with my office on numerous occasions in the past.

ACTION:

Contact will be maintained with Congressman Ford.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: December 17, 1963

FROM :

C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT :

LEE HARVEY OSWALD
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
THE PRESIDENTIAL COMMISSION

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I talked with Congressman Gerald Ford (R-Michigan) at his office at 1:45 PM this afternoon.

With respect to the meeting of the Presidential Commission on December 16, 1963, Congressman Ford told me that the members of the Commission, including the Chief Justice, agreed unanimously that no preliminary release should be made to the press regarding the facts as outlined in the FBI report.

Chief Justice Warren told the Commission that they should strive to have their hearings completed and the findings made public prior to July, 1964, when the Presidential campaigns will begin to get hot. He stated it would be unfair to present the findings after July, 1964.

Several members of the Commission indicated that Oswald's handwritten statements in the exhibits section of the report should be typed out for clearer perusal. Rankin was instructed to contact our liaison man, Inspector Malley, in this regard.

There was no criticism of the FBI at yesterday's meeting. There were no allegations made by any one, including the Chief Justice, that the FBI had leaked portions of this report. I again went over very carefully with Congressman Ford the fact the FBI had not had any "leaks" whatsoever. I told him we were well aware that the Department had done considerable talking; furthermore, it now appeared somewhat obvious that members of the Commission were beginning to leak the report. I referred to this week's issue of "Newsweek" magazine which contains a rather clear analysis of the report. I told Congressman Ford that "Newsweek" was owned by the "Washington Post" and that apparently some one was trying to curry favor. I told him we, of course, did not get along very well with either the "Washington Post" or "Newsweek." He replied that he was in the same boat, that he liked neither one of these publications.

1 - Mr. Belmont

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Memorandum to Mohr
Re: Harvey Oswald

12/17/63

The Presidential Commission

Congressman Ford in strict confidence that apparently Chief Justice Warren was quite close to Drew Pearson and obviously used Pearson from time to time to get thoughts across to the general public. I mentioned Pearson's articles of December 14-16, 1963. I told Congressman Ford as he well knew 98% of the facts in these articles were absolutely false.

Congressman Ford told me that several members had been somewhat surprised, however, pleased that the FBI's report had been in narrative form rather than written in a straightforward factual manner. I told him this, of course, was for the convenience of the Commission. He then mentioned Chief Justice Warren had expressed the desirability of seeing the actual reports which back up those in narrative form. I told him the Director had issued very specific instructions that these reports be made ready for the Commission. I told him they were quite lengthy and would be considerable material to wade through.

Two members of the Commission brought up the fact that they still were not convinced that the President had been shot from the sixth floor window of the Texas Book Depository. These members failed to understand the trajectory of the slugs that killed the President. He stated he felt this point would be discussed further but, of course, would represent no problem.

Three members of the Commission expressed disappointment that U. E. Baughman, former Chief of Secret Service, had seen fit to make a number of ill-advised remarks concerning the operations of the Secret Service in the press. The Commission does not agree with Baughman and criticized him quite thoroughly. They nevertheless plan to call him before the Commission and take testimony.

At the Commission meeting yesterday, Lee Rankin, the Chief Counsel, was authorized to hire two so-called "technicians" who will assist him in research and development of the Commission's findings. The Commission was told by Rankin that these men were skilled attorneys. One of these individuals is named _____ Adams, a former Police Commissioner in New York. Another individual is a person by the name of _____ Jenner, an attorney from Chicago. The Commission was advised that both of these men are available for immediate employment. Congressman Ford stated he raised the question as to checking the backgrounds of these individuals. He was told by Rankin that both of them had very satisfactory backgrounds and belonged to no organizations inimical to the best interest of the U. S. Government.

Upon leaving, Congressman Ford advised me that he will be in Michigan on a skiing vacation with his wife and children between December 22, 1963 and January 1, 1964. He stated I should call him at any time his assistance was needed.

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Memo DeLoach to Mohr
Re: Lee Harvey Oswald
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The Presidential Commission

He stated he had one problem. He wanted to take the FBI report with him yet he had no way of transporting it in complete safety. I told him I felt the Director would want him to borrow from us one of our Agent briefcases that contains a lock. He stated this would be ideal and he would appreciate loan of a briefcase very much.

ACTION:

This matter will be followed very closely. If there are no objections, I will deliver an Agent briefcase containing a lock to Congressman Ford tomorrow, December 18, 1963.

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April 17, 1964

BY SPECIAL MESSENGER

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

My dear Congressman:

I want to let you know how much I enjoyed talking to Mrs. Ford and you during the party at DeLoach's home last night. Particularly, I was very pleased to discuss in this informal manner some vital issues of interest to you as well as the FBI. Let me say that I found your observations to be both helpful and germane. It is always encouraging to know that we have alert, vigorous Congressmen, such as you, who are aware of the needs and problems confronting our country, and I wish you every success in meeting your grave responsibilities.

Whenever you have an opportunity, I would be happy to have Mrs. Ford and you drop by FBI Headquarters for a special tour of our facilities, and of course, I would like you to feel free to call on me any time our help is needed or when we can be of service.

With kind personal regards, REC-3

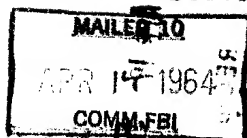
Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Mr. DeLoach

NOTE: The Director talked at some length with Congressman Ford last evening, 4-16-64, at Mr. DeLoach's home. Congressman Ford is a member of the Presidential Commission investigating the assassination of President Kennedy. Mrs. Ford indicated during the evening that she would be interested in touring FBI Headquarters sometime.

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GERALD R. FORD
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

WASHINGTON, D.C., ADDRESS:
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D.C.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN, ADDRESS:
425 CHERRY STREET SE.
GRAND RAPIDS 2, MICHIGAN

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

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House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Tolson	✓
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Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Evans	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
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Miss Gandy	✓

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April 20, 1964

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover.

You were most kind and thoughtful to write me following the wonderful party at the DeLoach home last week.

Mrs. Ford and I were delighted to have the opportunity to visit with you and I was particularly benefited by our stimulating discussion.

You may be sure that we will take advantage of your kind invitation for a special tour of the FBI facilities at the first opportunity.

Thank you again and warmest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford, M.C.

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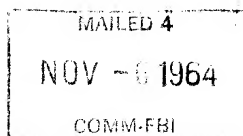
Honorable Gerald R. Ford
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

My dear Congressman:

I wish to join your host of friends in
sending congratulations upon your re-election to
the United States House of Representatives. I hope
that the coming term will hold abundant success in
your service to our Nation. If I can be of assistance
in any way, please let me know.

With expressions of my highest esteem
and best regards,

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover



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NOTE: We have had cordial relations with Ford and we have
written him in the past concerning his election to the House of
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January 7, 1965

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

My dear Congressman:

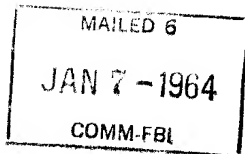
I wish to join your host of friends in
expressing congratulations upon your election as
Minority Leader of the House of Representatives.

It is my hope that the coming term
will hold abundant success in your service to the
Nation, and if I can be of assistance in any way,
please let me know.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



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1 - Mr. DeLoach

NOTE: The Director congratulated Congressman Ford on his re-election by letter 11-6-64 and has sent such letters upon his elections to Congress since 1952. Though we did experience some difficulty with all the members of the Warren Commission, Ford was of considerable help to the Bureau. An autographed copy of "A Study of Communism" was furnished to him in 1963. Congressman Ford has been placed on the Special Correspondents' List.

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GERALD R. FORD, JR.
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

MEMBER OF COMMITTEE ON
APPROPRIATIONS

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

Washington, D. C.

January 9, 1965

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

Mr. Tolson	✓
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Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
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Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Many thanks for your congratulations and good wishes on the occasion of my selection as Minority Leader of the House of Representatives.

It is my firm intention to exert every effort to live up to the expectations of my wonderful friends and supporters and I sincerely hope that I will merit their continued confidence and trust.

Thank you again, and warmest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford, M.C.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-46855) DATE: 9/3/65
(ATT: CENTRAL RESEARCH UNIT,
RESEARCH - SATELLITE SECTION)
FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-87235)
SUBJECT: PORTRAIT OF THE ASSASSIN
BOOK BY GERALD R. FORD WITH JOHN R. STILES
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Submitted is one copy of captioned book.

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Ford's Strategy in Opposing LBJ

By **Drew Pearson**

Jerry Ford, the handsome, likeable Republican Congressman from Grand Rapids, is doing as clever a job of selling Republican leadership to the Nation as his home town has done in selling furniture.



Pearson

But like the veneer on some furniture, Jerry has put a very deceptive front on Republican policy.

He has made it appear that the Republicans were supporting President Johnson on major national policy, though actually he has done his best to cut the President's legislative throat.

Ford has done this through the technique of "recommitment." This is a motion to send a bill back to committee on the ground that it needs revision or further study. This puts the Republican who votes to recommit in the position of favoring scholarly reappraisal, not outright opposition—though in actual fact it's the kiss of death.

Thus when the Negro voting rights bill came up, Congressman Ford did his best to recommit and kill the bill. Negro rights were first championed by the revered leader of the

Grand Old Party, Abraham Lincoln.

Despite this, Ford led the Republicans in a motion to send the voting rights bill back to committee, and 85 per cent of his followers thereby voted to kill the bill. The motion was defeated 248 to 171. Then the Republicans turned around and publicly went on record for the bill, 112 for and 20 against.

Later, when the Negro voting rights bill came back in a conference report, Jerry adopted the same tactic. Eighty-eight per cent of the Republicans voted with him to kill the bill. The motion lost, 284 to 118.

Later the Republicans turned around and voted overwhelmingly for the bill. Thus they could tell the voters back home that they had championed the principles of Abe Lincoln, though actually they had done their best to undercut his principles.

Roll Call of Opposition

Time after time Congressman Ford has adopted this strategy. Here is the roll call of key bills that Jerry Ford tried to bury:

Medical care for the elderly—96 per cent of the Republicans voted to recommit, including their leader, Jerry Ford. This was rejected, thanks to the heavy Demo-

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cratic majority, 236 to 191. Later the majority of Republicans voted for final passage of the medicare bill.

The housing bill—97 per cent of the Republicans voted to recommit, including Ford. This was aimed at deleting the rent subsidy. The motion was rejected 208 to 202.

Foreign aid authorization—89 per cent of the Republicans, including Ford, voted to recommit on the issue of reducing the very important development loans. The motion was rejected 219 to 178. Later most Republicans voted for foreign aid.

Appalachia—68 per cent of the Republicans voted to recommit, including Ford. This was defeated 323 to 100.

Inter-American Development Bank—92 per cent of the Republicans voted to recommit in order to reduce the authorization from \$750 million. They were defeated 237 to 142. Again Ford was on the losing side.

The antipoverty bill—90 per cent of the Republicans lined up with the South and voted to recommit on the issue of giving Governors the right to veto antipoverty projects. Southern Governors wanted the right to block integrated antipoverty projects. However, Republicans teamed up with Southern Democrats for a total of 178 votes against the policies of Abraham Lin-

coln. Mr. Johnson managed to mobilize 227 votes against them and won.

The Department of Housing and Urban Development—This was to establish a new Cabinet post to study and remedy the problems of big cities, such as that which led to the Los Angeles riots. Republicans voted 96 per cent to recommit the bill and kill it. Ford helped lead the strategy. They lost 259 to 141.

International Monetary Fund—This is a fund started immediately after World War II that has helped to stabilize the currencies of the free world. It has strong support from Republican bankers. Despite this Jerry Ford led a motion to recommit and kill the fund. This time he had more difficulty mobilizing Republicans and only 73 per cent of his followers voted to kill the fund. Ford lost, 275 to 115.

Later the Republicans turned around and put themselves on record in the final vote as for the fund. Thus they could tell the voters back home they were for the above programs after doing their best to kill them.

Thus does the handsome Congressman from Grand Rapids maneuver to kill the essentials of the Johnson Administration program without getting too much publicity for doing so.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK FOR
CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD (MICHIGAN)

DATE: November 9, 1965

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Pursuant to approval by the Director, on 11/9/65 Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the residence telephone lines of Congressman Gerald R. Ford. This check included an inspection of the phone service within the residence, within telephone company premises and at all points of access to the telephone line outside the above-mentioned locations. No evidence of tampering was observed.

It is of interest that the telephone company Foreman Supervisor at the Alexandria Central Office (out of which Mr. Ford's telephone works) volunteered the following: The company is presently engaged in a program to expand facilities to meet the heavy increase in demand for service caused by the construction of high-rise apartments in the Alexandria area. The cable carrying Mr. Ford's telephone line has been involved. Work is also being done at the central office to install equipment for touch tone dialing. It is quite possible that there may have been some inadvertent noise on Mr. Ford's line. Also, at times of peak load for telephone use (11:00 am to 2:00 pm and 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm) there may have been a delay in getting the dial tone for making outgoing calls (increased facilities will eliminate this delay).

ACTION:

That Inspector D. E. Moore advise Congressman Ford of the results of the security check. It is noted that Inspector Moore is a neighbor of the Congressman and the Congressman did express his concern about this problem to Inspector Moore.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. D. E. Moore (603 RB)
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Millen
- 1 - Mr. Baker
- 1 - Mr. Matter

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PERSONAL

Honorable Gerald R. Ford, Jr.
Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

My dear Congressman:

It was a pleasure to learn that you have received the 1966 George Washington Award of the American Good Government Society, and I did not want the opportunity to pass without extending my heartiest congratulations.

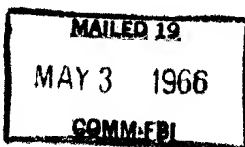
I know you are proud of this signal honor accorded you which is indeed a fitting tribute to your many contributions to the welfare of the Nation. Your friends in the FBI join me in offering our best wishes on this occasion, and we sincerely hope your future endeavors meet with every measure of success.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Congressman Ford is on the Special Correspondents' List. The Awards which he and Senator Ervin received are made annually to the two men who have made the most outstanding contributions in our times to good government in this country. Last outgoing to Congressman Ford addressed him as Junior although he is not shown as such in the "Congressional Directory" but is listed as Junior on PDW:kcf (4) the Special Correspondents' List and the Congressional card maintained by Correspondence and Tours Section.

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THE WASHINGTON POST

Monday, May 2, 1966 A 11

Ford, Ervin Honored By Society

Rep. Gerald R. Ford (R-Mich.) and Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr. (D-N.C.) received the 1966 George Washington Awards of the American Good Government Society last night at a dinner honoring them and marking the 177th anniversary of Washington's Inauguration.

Ford, who is House Minority Leader, told the society at the Sheraton Park Hotel:

"There is no fixed formula for good government. It is really something of a miracle that we have fared as well as we have.

"That miracle has been shaped from the dreams of people who fled from the Old World to the new in quest of something precious called freedom."

Ervin said in accepting his award that "good government derives its power from the consent of the governed.

"Good government is government under a written Constitution, which establishes a government of laws and puts it beyond the control of impatient public officials, temporary majorities and the varying moods of public opinion," he said.

Congressional Pair Honored

Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr. (D-N.C.) and Rep. Gerald R. Ford (R-Mich.), House Minority Leader, received the 1966 George Washington Awards of the American Good Government Society last night at the 14th annual George Washington Dinner in the Sheraton-Park Hotel.

About 700 people attended the \$25-a-plate dinner which commemorated the 117th anniversary of Washington's inauguration.

The awards are made each year to the two men who, in the Society's opinion, have made the most outstanding contributions in our times to good government in this country.

Archie K. Davis, chairman of the Board of Directors of the American Bankers Association, delivered the principal address in which he warned against the danger to personal liberty of an all-powerful central government.

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November 9, 1966

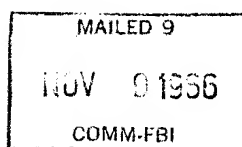
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Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49501

My dear Congressman:

It was with a great deal of pleasure that I learned of your re-election to Congress, and I could not let the occasion pass without expressing heartiest congratulations. As always, my associates and I will be looking forward to any opportunity of cooperating with you, and we extend our deepest thanks for the assistance you have rendered us in the past.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



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NOTE: Congressman Ford has received congratulatory letters since 1952. He was congratulated upon being named Minority Leader on 1-7-65. Ford is on the Special Correspondents' List. (R-Mich)

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September 19, 1967

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

My dear Congressman:

I was indeed sorry to learn of the passing
of your Mother and want to send you this note expressing
heartfelt sympathy. May your fond memories of her bring
you comfort in your sorrow. I hope the knowledge that
your many friends in the FBI share your grief will be of
solace in your bereavement.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Congressman Ford is on the Special Correspondents List. The
Bureau has enjoyed cordial relations with him.

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Mrs. Ford Sr., 75

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (AP) —Mrs. Gerald R. Ford Sr., 75, mother of U.S. Rep. Gerald R. Ford Jr., died yesterday at Butterworth Hospital of an apparent heart condition.

Mrs. Ford, active in community affairs, was the widow of the president of Ford Paint & Varnish Co.

Besides Rep. Ford, the Republican leader in the House, she leaves three other sons, State Rep. Thomas G., Richard A. and James F. Ford, all of Grand Rapids.

Services are scheduled tomorrow in Grand Rapids.

The Washington Star
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Miss Gandy



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D. C.

GERALD R. FORD
MINORITY LEADER

September 26, 1967

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you so much for your kind and
thoughtful note after Mother's death. It
was so good of you to write.

Betty and my brothers and their
families join me in expressing appreciation
for your kindness.

Thank you again and warmest personal
regards.

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford
Gerald R. Ford, M.C.

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Date: 8/13/68

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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, JACKSON (157-New) (P)

PROPOSED PICKETING,
NATCHEZ, MISSISSIPPI
TO PROTEST APPEARANCE OF
U. S. REPRESENTATIVE
GERALD FORD OF MICHIGAN AT
JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
MEETING 8/16-19/68
RM

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are eleven
(11) copies of an LHM regarding captioned matter. One
information copy of LHM forwarded Detroit.

One copy of LHM furnished to USA, Jackson,
Secret Service, Jackson and two copies MIGp, Jackson.

LEADS:

JACKSON

AT NATCHEZ, MISS.

Will follow and report future developments re
picketing at JC meeting.

AT JACKSON, MISS.

Will maintain liaison with CHARLES EVERS re this
matter and proposed picketing.

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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AGENCY: _____
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Jackson, Mississippi

August 13, 1968

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PROPOSED PICKETING,
NATCHEZ, MISSISSIPPI
TO PROTEST APPEARANCE OF
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE
GERALD FORD OF MICHIGAN AT
JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING
AUGUST 16-19, 1968

On August 8, 1968, Charles Evers, Field Director, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, (NAACP), for the State of Mississippi, advised a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation that Representative Gerald Ford of Michigan is scheduled to appear in Natchez, Mississippi on August 16, 1968 to address the Junior Chamber of Commerce (JC), there. Evers said that the JCs are holding a three-day conference from August 16, 1968 to August 19, 1968. Evers stated that the JC is not an integrated organization and if Congressman Ford appears to address this group, the NAACP will picket the JC meeting during the time of Ford's appearance.

Evers reported that on or about August 3, 1968, he submitted a telegram to Congressman Ford advising him he would picket the JC meeting if he should appear to speak there.

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Date: August 27, 1968

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, JACKSON (157-10205) (C) *Boggs*

SUBJECT: PROPOSED PICKETING, NATCHEZ, MISSISSIPPI,
TO PROTEST APPEARANCE OF U. S. REPRESENTATIVE
GERALD FORD OF MICHIGAN AT JUNIOR CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE MEETING, AUGUST 16 - 19, 1968
RACIAL MATTERS

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are eleven
copies of an LHM regarding captioned matter. One
information copy of the LHM is being forwarded the
Detroit Office.

One copy of the LHM is being furnished the
United States Attorney, Jackson, and U. S. Secret Service,
Jackson. Two copies are being furnished MIGp, Jackson.

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Approved: *[Signature]*

Special Agent in Charge

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Jackson, Mississippi

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GERALD FORD OF MICHIGAN AT JUNIOR CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE MEETING, AUGUST 16 - 19, 1968

Reference is made to memorandum dated August 13, 1968, at Jackson.

On August 15, 1968, Charles Evers, Field Secretary, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), State of Mississippi, advised that he had received a communication from U. S. Representative Gerald Ford of Michigan advising that he (Ford) would not appear as a speaker at the Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting on August 16, 1968, at Natchez, Mississippi.

On August 15, 1968, C. Hiram Faulkenberry, President, Junior Chamber of Commerce, Natchez, Mississippi, advised that he had received a communication from Representative Gerald Ford of Michigan in which Ford cancelled his appearance before the Junior Chamber of Commerce on August 16, 1968, at Natchez, Mississippi, because of a previous business commitment.

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November 6, 1968

PERSONAL

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49501

My dear Congressman:

It was good to learn that you will again be a member
of the United States House of Representatives, and I want to extend
best wishes to you for a most successful term.

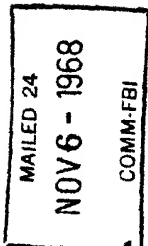
I hope you will not hesitate to contact us in the
event we can be of any assistance in matters of mutual interest.

With kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Congressman Ford is on the Special Correspondents List. He received
congratulatory letters in 1960, 1962, 1964, and 1966. Confirmed through
Washington Star and News.

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GERALD R. FORD
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

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MICHIGAN OFFICE:
425 CHERRY STREET SE.
GRAND RAPIDS
ZIP 49502

Congress of the United States
Office of the Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

November 20, 1968

Honorable John Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you so much for your kind and thoughtful message following the election. I am deeply grateful for your congratulations and good wishes.

In the days and months ahead I intend to exert every effort to justify the confidence expressed by my constituents and good friends throughout the country.

Thank you again and warmest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford
Gerald R. Ford, M.C.

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Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
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Mr. Conrad	✓
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Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
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Office of the Attorney General
Department of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20535

October 22, 1969

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter from one of my constituents, Mr. [REDACTED], and a newspaper article by Carl Rowan.

I would appreciate your comments on the questions raised in Mr. [REDACTED] letter so that I can give him an appropriate reply.

Warmest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Corrado R. Ford, M.C.

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Memorandum

1-Mr. DeLoach
1-Mr. Bishop

TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: 2/12/70

FROM : C. D. DE LOACH

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
CONCERNING MAID BY
CONGRESSMAN GERALD FORD (R. -MICHIGAN)
MINORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE

[REDACTED]

Congressman Ford called 2/10/70 and asked that I see him that morning. Upon seeing him, he indicated that he and his wife have had great difficulty obtaining a maid. They finally had one referred to them by an employment service. She had few references and he stated he was not satisfied with knowledge concerning her background. He added that he gets numerous calls from the President concerning classified matters and he takes considerable mail home to read. He indicated he would appreciate it very much if a check could be made of FBI files regarding one [REDACTED] Washington, D. C.; telephone [REDACTED]. He described this woman as being approximately 30 years of age and originally from [REDACTED].

The above telephone number is listed to [REDACTED], Washington, D. C. (no derogatory information in Bureau files). Based on available identifying data, references in Bureau files could not be identified with the subject of this inquiry. The Washington Field Office checked and advised that no record of this subject could be located at the Credit Bureau, the Motor Vehicles Bureau or the Metropolitan Police Department based on the available identifying data.

Congressman Ford was advised of the above information.

ACTION:

For record purposes.

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From: SAC, MO (58-0)ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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Fifth District, Michigan
Information Concerning: Grand Rapids, Michigan
Federal Office Building

Reference is made to Bureau file 58-7233 and
SA 58-1107, entitled [REDACTED], RICO, Bribery,
GOF, Conspiracy, and PC airtel to Bureau in that matter
on 9/8/70 which describes a letter submitted to FBI by
[REDACTED], a copy of which was forwarded
to the Bureau by WFO.

Enclosed to the Bureau are original and three
copies of LHM describing the letter of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] received in referenced matter with a copy of said
letter being made an enclosure to LHM.

Inasmuch as [REDACTED] apparently sent copies of said
letter to Department of Justice and U.S. District Court, MO,
will take no further action this matter unless so advised
by Department of Justice.

MO will maintain this particular communication
in 58-1 file for control purposes unless agreed to by
field investigations.

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1cc DAG memo 9-6 A
LER: [initials]
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Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D.C. 20535

September 9, 1970

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WILLIAM A. ROSEN, Congressman
Fifth District, Michigan;
Information Concerning Grand Jurors,
Michigan, Federal Office Building

By letter dated August 24, 1970, [redacted]
[redacted] advised the
Washington field office in another matter, [redacted]
of J. Bribery, Conflict of Interest, Conspiracy, and during
the course of said letter related certain events that trans-
pired with regard to the Federal Office Building in Grand
Jurors, Michigan. [redacted] relates events in this matter
to conspiracy and high-handed pressure.

One copy of [redacted] letter is enclosed
with this memorandum. Upon a review of the letter it is
noted that [redacted] submitted a copy of same to
Honorable Bill Wilson, Assistant Attorney General, United
States Department of Justice.

Washington field office will take no further
action this matter until such advice by the Department of
Justice.

Attachment 1

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September 10, 1969

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Jerry:

We of the City Commission, and many other people in Grand Rapids, are becoming increasingly concerned, perturbed and frustrated by the situation prevailing in connection with the new Federal Building.

This all began in October of 1964 when the City agreed to sell the G.S.A.-selected site in the Central Core Urban Renewal Project. Finally, in March of 1968, the City, caught between H.U.D.'s demands for Project completion and G.S.A.'s apparent inability to buy, bought the land from the Project and agreed to hold it for a time for G.S.A. only now is G.S.A. preparing to pay for the land, but still has no definite timetable for construction of the building.

Only two sites in the entire project remain undeveloped--one for a State Office Building and the one for the Federal Office Building. The State is committed by contract to begin construction before April, 1970. H.U.D. requires that all developers purchasing urban renewal land be bound by contract to expeditiously carry out construction on the land. G.S.A. demands that this requirement be waived and substituted a somewhat meaningless and indefinite provision that construction will begin within 90 days after Congress appropriates the necessary funds. Even G.S.A., perhaps through circumstances beyond its control, is cast in the role of "the dog in the manger." G.S.A. has no definite plans for immediate use of the site for building, but because of G.S.A.'s interest and the City's contractual obligation to G.S.A., no other avenue of redevelopment is open to us. No knowledgeable developer would undertake purchase and development of the site with the threat of a "Federal take" hanging over it.

Make no mistake, the City wants the Federal Building where it is planned. It is the most logical location for it, and it is eminently appropriate that the Federal government use for its own advantage land that was obtained and prepared with the help of a Federal investment of more than \$6 million.

G.S.A.
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bought
15 days later

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
September 10, 1969
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We are requesting that you use your good offices, and earnest endeavors to bring about one of two conditions on this matter: One, if G.S.A. has no intention of building in the reasonably near future, that it firmly and irrevocably release the City from its contractual obligations. Or, two--and this is the preferable and desirable alternate--that Congress and G.S.A. develop a firm and definitive time schedule for building the new Federal Building in the reasonably near future.

Yours very truly,

C.H. Sonneveldt
Mayor

CHS:vlj

W. J. GRAY
CHIEF OF POLICE
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

CHIEF OF POLICE
100 N. STATE STREET
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
POLICE BUILDING
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WASHINGTON OFFICE
SUITE 2457
SAM RAYBURN OFFICE BUILDING

COMMITTEES:
PUBLIC WORKS
HOUSE ADMINISTRATION
SELECT COMMITTEE ON
FEDERAL AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Courthouse and Federal Office Building
Grand Rapids, Michigan -

approved April 14, 1964
cost - \$2,748,000 *\$6,202,072*

Ford Amendment - to include underground parking = Nov. 9, 1967

\$8,748,000

Contractors - Louis C. Kingscott & Associates, Inc.
Kalamazoo, Michigan

Revision increase in cost - June 4, 1970

increase - \$1,800,000 - which total amount = \$10,600,000
above increase equals actual and project increase

Construction contract not yet awarded- estimated to be awarded Oct. 70

Owner of Land - call G.S.A. Bureau of Facilities

talked to [] in [] office - 183-4276

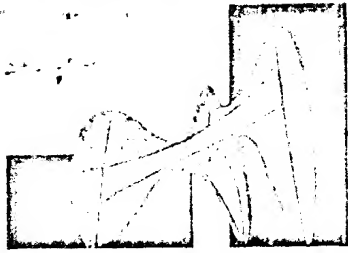
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lot location - Michigan Street between Monroe and Ottawa Avenue
which includes Bond Street which will be closed.

Property was acquired from the City. Sept. 25, 1969

39 fls
111,849.5 square feet
2.3 acres
\$444,600
appraisers

also record area
approved



City of
Grand Rapids
Michigan 49502

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July 31, 1970

House Committee on Public Works
Subcommittee on Public Buildings
and Grounds
c/o Room 2457 Rayburn Building
Washington, D. C.

Attention:

Re: Federal Site
Disposition Parcel 3c(1)
Project No. Mich. R-60

To substantiate my telephone conversations with
on July 30 and July 31, 1970, please be advised of the
following:

Total acquisition expenditures for Central Core-North Project
No. Mich. R-60: \$2,634,116.

Total acquisition costs for the Federal Building Site 3c(1):
\$682,771.

Total project demolition cost: \$132,483.

Total demolition cost Federal Building Site 3c(1): \$41,391.

We are not sending you at this time the photostatic copies of
all these transactions as we agreed with on this
date. These costs can be substantiated through the final
Federal audit that should be on record in the Central HUD Office.

WLD R. FORD
15101, MICHIGAN

MICHIGAN OFFICE:
425 CHILTRY STREET SE.
GRAND RAPIDS
ZIP 49502

29 Contracts on this lot
Congress of the United States

Office of the Minority Leader

House of Representatives

Washington, D.C. 20515

May 12, 1970

Copy #5A
Honorable George H. Fallon
Chairman
Committee on Public Works
U. S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Chairman,

As you know, the Committee on Public Works has approved the construction of a Courthouse and Federal Office Building at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Action was taken by the Committee on November 9, 1967 and it was estimated that the cost of the building would be \$8,748,000. The General Services Administration has submitted a revised authorization for \$10,600,000.

I want to add my personal endorsement to this revised authorization and hope that the Committee will take prompt action. Your cooperation will be deeply appreciated.

Sincerely,

Gerold R. Ford, M.C.

GRF:mr

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Also talked to
Mr. Ford several times
on floor and phone.
He was pushing hard
for this Project where
Govt Paid 200,000 per acre.

we should work all
the pressure.

This Project also
received Bureau of Budget
approval for appropriation
before final authorization
of revised project.

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authorization
from 6.2 million
to 10.6 million

September 22, 1970

BY SPECIAL MESSENGER

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

My dear Congressman:

In compliance with your request, I am
enclosing herewith a reprint of my "Open Letter to
College Students" which was released by United Press
International on September 21, 1970.

Sincerely yours,

Enclosure

NOTE: Congressman Ford is on the Special Correspondents List. Letter
prepared per instructions of Mr. Tolson.

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November 4, 1970

PERSONAL

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Member of Congress
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49501

My dear Congressman:

I wish to join your many friends throughout the Nation in expressing heartiest congratulations upon your re-election to the United States House of Representatives. I hope that the coming term will bring with it additional successes in your service to our country. You have my every good wish for the future.

With best regards,

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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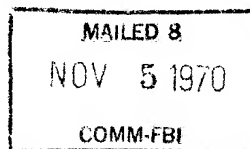
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NOTE: Congressman Ford, Minority Leader of the House, is on the Special Correspondents List. He has received congratulatory letters each election year from 1960, inclusive.

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Congress of the United States
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House of Representatives
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Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Thank you so much for the kind letter of congratulations which you sent upon my reelection. It was good to hear from you and receive your greetings.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford
Gerald R. Ford, M.C.

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Ford Didn't Report \$11,500 Contributed to His Campaign

By JAMES R. POLK
Associated Press

House Republican Leader Gerald R. Ford did not report \$11,500 in campaign contributions last fall from stock brokers, an oilman, bankers, doctors and a union group.

Instead, the checks given to Ford were detoured through Republican headquarters here while roughly the same amount — \$12,233 — was being fed back to Ford's district to pay off post-election debts.

Through this two-step procedure, names of the special interest groups were not listed on Ford's sworn campaign report to Congress, although the money flowed through his hands.

Disclosure Required

The Corrupt Practices Act requires full public disclosure of all campaign contributions received with a candidate's knowledge or consent.

In an interview, Ford defended his procedures in handling campaign checks as being "within the law."

The Michigan congressman said he signed the checks over to the GOP because he had reached his state's legal limit on the money his own campaign committee could handle. He said he had no knowledge of the GOP giving back more than \$12,000 to other Ford committees.

Checks Not Listed

Not listed on Ford's report to the House were:

● A \$5,000 check from the Securities Industry Campaign Committee. The endorsement on the check shows it was signed over to GOP headquarters before the post-election payouts began. The \$5,000 donation to Ford was the largest single contribution made by the Wall Street stock brokers' fund.

• A \$2,000 check from the Bankers Political Action Committee. Other checks from the same group were refused by nearly half the intended recipients in a controversy over a Democratic Bill on bank regulation.

• A \$3,000 check from John M. Shaheen, head of a New York City oil firm with refineries in Canada, California and Arkansas.

● A \$1,000 check from the political arm of the Boilermakers - Blacksmiths Union with national headquarters in Kansas City, Kans.

- A \$500 check from the Michigan Doctors Political Action Committee.

Own Treasurer

Unlike most candidates, Ford acted as treasurer of his main campaign group, the "Ford for Congress Committee" and

therefore was bound by the Corrupt Practices Act to file a complete report of its money dealings.

However, Ford said, "I would say, under the interpretation over the years, that my action was within the law." He did not elaborate.

In the 45-year history of the Corrupt Practices Act, the Justice Department has never brought a court case against a congressman for campaign wrongdoing.

The \$11,500 in Ford campaign contributions was turned over to the Republican Congressional Committee in a 10-day period just before and after the Nov. 3 election.

A second group, the Republican National Finance Advisory Committee, which is run by the same man at GOP headquarters, sent four checks totaling \$6,760 to two other Grand Rapids committees, "Latvians for Ford," and "Veterans for Ford" on Nov. 4 and Nov. 20.

It also paid a \$3,967 bill to Insight, Inc., in Grand Rapids, which handled Ford's campaign advertising. And the congressional fund paid a \$1,775 printing bill in Grand Rapids.

Personally Signed Checks

Ford said he personally signed over the checks that his "Ford for Congress Committee" re-routed to the GOP.

"After we reached the \$10,500 limit set by Michigan law, I would endorse checks over to the congressional committee. After that, I had no knowledge of how the Lativians got their money," Ford said.

He said in past years the GOP had used the excess checks he signed over to it to help out other Republican House candidates in campaign trouble.

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Rep. Ford Failed to Report \$11,500

By James R. Polk

Associated Press

House Republican Leader Gerald R. Ford omitted reporting \$11,500 in campaign contributions last fall from stockbrokers, bankers, doctors, an oil man and a labor union fund.

But the Michigan congressman says his action "was within the law."

The checks were signed over by Ford to Republican headquarters here at the same time that the party was pumping roughly the same amount—\$12,233—back to Ford's district to pay off post-election debts.

The Michigan congressman, who acts as treasurer of his own main campaign committee, did not list the \$11,500 in contributions on his sworn statement to the House required under the Corrupt Practices Act.

Instead, when the post-election money wound up in other Ford campaign funds in his hometown of Grand Rapids, it was reported as a donation from the Republican Party.

Ford said he turned the checks over to the GOP headquarters because he had reached the limit his own campaign committee could obtain under Michigan law. He said he had no knowledge of how or why the similar amount was fed back into his other campaign groups.

His sworn report to the House said: "I hereby certify that the following is a correct and itemized account of each contribution received by me or by any person for me with my knowledge or consent..."

Ford said in an interview that he had personally endorsed the checks his "Ford for Congress Committee" funneled to the GOP headquarters. He added:

"I would say, under the interpretation of the law as it has been interpreted over the years, that my action was within the law."

Not included on Ford's sworn report were:

- A \$5,000 check from the Securities Industry Campaign Committee, a political fund for Wall Street stock brokers.
- \$3,000 from oilman John M. Shaheen of New York City.
- \$2,000 from the Bankers Political Action Committee, a fund for banks which opposed a regulatory bill that eventually was passed by Congress.
- \$1,000 from the political arm of the Boilermakers-Blacksmiths union with headquarters in Kansas City, Kan.
- \$500 from the Michigan Doctors Political Action Committee.

All the checks were listed by the Republican Congressional Committee as coming into its coffers between Oct. 30 and Nov. 9.

The companion Republican National Finance Advisory Committee, run by the same man at GOP headquarters, sent a total of \$6,760 in contributions to two other Ford groups in Grand Rapids Nov. 4 and 20. The GOP headquarters also paid directly \$5,473 in post-election advertising and printing bills from Grand Rapids firms.

In contrast, other Republican House candidates got a maximum of \$7,000 from the congressional group under its specific formula last fall.

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Ford said, "I personally had nothing to do with" the post-election flow of money into his district and had no knowledge of how it came about.

Ford, who has served in Congress 22 years and has been GOP leader since 1965, won re-election easily last fall, trouncing Democrat Mrs. Jean McKee 88,000 votes to 55,000.

The \$5,000 from the Wall Street group was by far its largest single contribution, triple any of its checks for Senate races.

Ford said the check was delivered to his office by Walter Lever, a friend he had known since football days. Ford said, "I didn't ask any questions. He simply brought the check in."

Shaheen, whose oil firm has

refineries in Canada, California and Alaska, also described Ford as an old friend. Although his \$3,000 appears on the GOP's report instead of Ford's, he said his contribution was for Ford and not for any national committee.

"I don't deal with impersonal committees. They waste the money," Shaheen said in a telephone interview.

Ford's four campaign committees, including the one he oversaw plus Latvians for Ford, Veterans for Ford, and the Greek-American Committee for Ford, handled a total

of about \$30,000 in his re-election effort.

In their public reports filed in Grand Rapids, the Latvians and the Veterans listed the \$6,760 they got after Nov. 3 as a contribution from the Republican Congressional Committee.

Other than the GOP money, the major donors to Ford's campaign were listed as Richard M. Scaife, an executive in Mellon family firms in Pittsburgh, and Forbes Mann, head of LTV Aerospace Corp. in Dallas. Each gave \$2,000 to either Latvians or Veterans.

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Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

My dear Congressman:

Your action on the floor of the House yesterday in vigorously defending my direction of the FBI against the attacks by one of your colleagues is greatly appreciated. Your remarks to the assembled House concerning my work are most encouraging and your continuing support certainly means a great deal to me.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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HOOVER RESIGNATION URGED BY BOGGS IN HOUSE SPEECH

Associated Press

House Democratic Leader Hale Boggs of Louisiana called today for the immediate resignation of J. Edgar Hoover as director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

"The time has come," Boggs told the House, "for the attorney general of the United States to ask for the resignation of J. Edgar Hoover."

He accused the FBI of tapping the telephones of members of Congress, of stationing agents on college campuses and of "adopting the tactics of

Hitler's Gestapo and the Soviet Union."

Republican Leader Gerald R. Ford of Michigan challenged Boggs to provide proof of his statements.

"The history of the FBI is a fine one," Ford told the House. "They may have made mistakes from time to time, they are human."

"But the country is fortunate to have had the FBI over the years and fortunate to have had J. Edgar as its head many years."

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Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

My dear Congressman:

Thank you for your defense of the FBI's
investigative activities in the case involving Congressman
Dowdy. Your comments as reported in the press today
will certainly help to set the record straight in this matter
and you may be sure my associates and I are grateful for
your continuing support.

For your information, "The Evening Star"
today indicates that Congressman Boggs intends to charge
in his speech tomorrow that the FBI obtained telephone
company records of long distance calls from his office.
These toll records were obtained as a result of the issuance
of a subpoena by a Federal Grand Jury in Baltimore, Maryland,
at the direction of former United States Attorney Stephen H.
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Sincerely yours, REC-95

J. Edgar Hoover

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Ford Backs Wiretapping Of Dowdy

United Press International

House Republican Leader Gerald R. Ford is defending the FBI against charges of impropriety in its electronic surveillance in a criminal investigation that led to indictment of Rep. John Dowdy, D-Tex., on bribery charges.

Ford said yesterday the surveillance in Dowdy's Capitol office last year, involving an FBI informer with a hidden tape recorder. In a criminal investigation, Ford said, "I am not sure we should differentiate in a case like that between a citizen and a member of Congress."

The Dowdy case is the latest in a continuing controversy over the FBI. A source close to Hale Boggs, House Democratic leader said Boggs would charge in a floor speech tomorrow that the FBI had obtained telephone company records of long distance calls from Boggs' office.

According to the source, Boggs will not argue that members of Congress should be immune from criminal investigation, but that to subpoena telephone records without a legislator's knowledge is an improper intrusion by the executive branch of government.

Some of the checks on Boggs' calls apparently were made in connection with a grand jury's investigation last year of alleged efforts by Baltimore contractor to influence congressmen in his dispute over contract charges for building an underground garage for the House of Representatives. The inquiry did not result in any indictments.

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Ford Backs FBI in Dowdy Case

By Arnold B. Sawislak
United Press International

House Republican Leader Gerald R. Ford defended the FBI yesterday against charges of impropriety in its electronic surveillance in a criminal investigation that led to indictment of Rep. John Dowdy (D-Tex.) on bribery charges.

Ford told newsmen the surveillance in Dowdy's Capitol office last year, involving an FBI informant with a hidden tape recorder, was authorized by court order. And in a criminal investigation, said Ford, "I am not sure we should differentiate in a case like that between a citizen and a member of Congress."

Ford said that House Democratic Leader Hale Boggs, who has charged FBI tapping, should present any evidence he has "to a responsible com-

mittee ... so that congress and the public will see it in black and white."

Herbert R. Rainwater, San Bernardino, Calif., the commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars also came to the defense of the FBI and director J. Edgar Hoover.

Rainwater said in a statement that the same Americans who have been "nibbling away" trying to destroy the military are now attempting to undermine and destroy the FBI.

Naming Sens. Edmund S. Muskie, Edward M. Kennedy, George S. McGovern and Hubert Humphrey, he said "would-be presidential candidates have suddenly found it expedient to harrangue the bureau and its director."

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HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER GERALD R. FORD, MICH., TOLD NEWSMEN HE DID NOT FEEL THE FBI HAD ENGAGED IN IMPROPER SURVEILLANCE OF DOWDY.

NOTING THAT THIS WAS A CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION, FORD SAID "I AM NOT SURE WE SHOULD DIFFERENTIATE A CASE LIKE THAT BETWEEN A CITIZEN AND A MEMBER OF CONGRESS." HE NOTED THAT THE FBI ACTIVITY IN THE CASE WAS AUTHORIZED BY COURT ORDER.

FORD WOULD NOT COMMENT ON PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT THE FBI HAD OBTAINED TELEPHONE COMPANY RECORDS OF CALLS FROM BOGGS OFFICE.

HE SAID IT WOULD BE "WISE TO WAIT" UNTIL BOGGS SPEAKS TO THE HOUSE THURSDAY ON HIS CONTROVERSY WITH THE FBI.

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GERALD R. FORD
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

Congress of the United States
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House of Representatives
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Enclosed is a copy of a letter addressed to you, and mailed to me, by
one of my constituents, [REDACTED]

I share the concern expressed by [REDACTED] and would very much appreciate receiving a copy of your reply to him. I would specifically like to have your comments on the question raised by [REDACTED].

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford, M.C.

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The press coverage of the Laos invasion usually was summarized in one or two typewritten pages of short items. White House aide Pat Buchanan, who prepared the digests, selects both favorable and critical stories to compress for presidential reading.

The digest for March 23, 1971, for example, began with this item: "The U.S. command indicated the two-day air strikes on NVN were highly successful saying pilots destroyed three missile sites, touching off 100 explosions."

The next item reported U.S. crews manning the fleet of 600 helicopters which supported SVN's Laos offensive before withdrawing from Khe Sanh as the campaign neared its end. Final units in the region task force retreated under heavy Communist fire.

Next: "U.S. helicopter gunships battling in Laos proved for the first time they are more than a match for the tanks, said a army officer just back from the war zone. Even more important, said Col. Robert Hollinsell, U.S. helicopter pilots over Laos saw 'the heaviest anti-aircraft fire we have ever encountered' and proved they could survive it."

The daily digest had no more space, in fact, to cover coverage of Mr. Nixon's TV appearance with South China to the coverage of the Laos fighting.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

VO : Mr. C. D. Brennan

FROM : R. D. Cotter

SUBJECT: FBI SURVEILLANCES
ALLEGATIONS BY JACK ANDERSON

1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr
1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop

DATE: April 13, 1971

1 - Mr. J. H. Gale
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1 - Mr. R. D. Cotter

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Jack Anderson's column in 4/10/71 issue of Washington Post insinuated that the Director had strained the truth in denying that no member of Congress had been under surveillance. Specifically Anderson referred to alleged surveillances of four Congressmen, namely the late Representative Vito Marcantonio (American-Labor, New York); ex Representative Roland Libonati (D-Illinois); [redacted] Marcantonio held blatant Communist sympathies. Libonati and [redacted] were involved with the Mafia and [redacted] was a blackmail victim.

Anderson further alleged that other Congressmen had been investigated by the FBI as result of electronic surveillances and he noted that Congressman Hale Boggs' name was picked up on wiretaps during FBI investigation of such individuals as [redacted] and [redacted] (who allegedly engaged in payoffs) and [redacted]

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Anderson mentioned Congressman Gerald Ford (R-Illinois) in connection with the investigation of ~~1955~~byist Fred Black and in this connection he said that Black made a telephonic breakfast date with Representative Carl Albert (D-Oklahoma) and [REDACTED]

Anderson claimed also that electronic experts checking Senate Office corridors picked up strong indications that the offices of ex-Senators Ralph Yarborough (D-Texas) and Maurine Neuberger (D-Oregon) were bugged, although a search failed to uncover any listening devices.

The Director instructed "Let me have at once memo on facts of allegations in Anderson's column."

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Anderson's insinuation that the Director was not entirely candid in denying existence of surveillances on Congressmen is typical of the sensationalist reporting for which Anderson is so well known. Anderson has made use of semantics in his article in a deceiving way.

There are numerous instances where Congressmen have had conversations monitored when they happened to make telephone calls to individuals or establishments covered by electronic surveillances which had approval of the Attorney General. But this is not what Anderson intimates.

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REPRESENTATIVE HALE BOGGS

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[REDACTED]

During our bribery investigation of [REDACTED] and collateral grand jury testimony, evidence was developed that Congressman Hale Boggs (D-Louisiana) allegedly used his influence to have the architect of the Capitol approve payment of claims totaling over five million dollars to [REDACTED] growing out of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] We also learned that in 1966, [REDACTED] remodeled Congressman's Boggs' suburban Maryland residence at a cost of \$45,082.95, but only billed Boggs \$21,000, for the job. The investigation of [REDACTED] and inquiries regarding Boggs were at the specific request of the Attorney General. During this investigation, we did not have Boggs under surveillance nor did we ever tap his telephones. Former U.S. Attorney Sachs had recommended Boggs not be indicted; however, Sachs stated this was not approved by the Attorney General.

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Anderson contends that Boggs was one of several legislators whose names were picked up on wiretaps during the FBI's investigation of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. It is pointed out that no wiretaps or any other electronic surveillance devices were utilized in the [REDACTED] investigation.

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EX-REPRESENTATIVE VITO MARCANTONIO

Case file on Marcantonio contains no information that he was ever subjected to electronic or physical surveillance despite his blatant communist sympathies. While Marcantonio was never subjected to electronic surveillance, he was monitored on other electronic surveillances on several occasions in the 30's and 40's during contact with Eugene Dennis, General Secretary of CPUSA, at CPUSA headquarters or at Dennis' home. Marcantonio was also monitored on a similar coverage on David Rein, Washington attorney, who has represented CPUSA members.

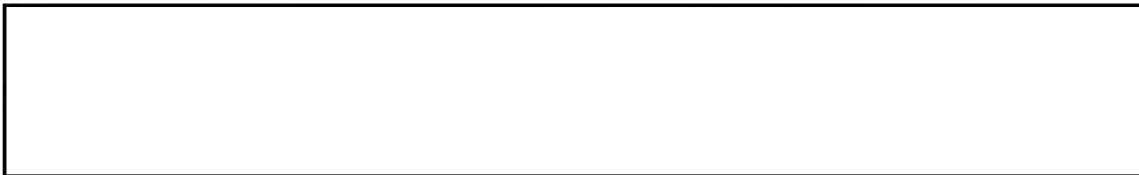
Electronic surveillances of Communist Party, USA (CPUSA) establishments revealed scheduled meetings in certain apartments or other locations. This resulted in FBI Agents occasionally observing Marcantonio entering these meetings during the course of their coverage to determine attendance of known or suspected CP members. Marcantonio was never surveilled either to or from any CP meetings covered by FBI Agents.

Our electronic surveillance indices reveal that Marcantonio's name was mentioned during coverage in Chicago in 1959 of a criminal case - Marcantonio had died, however, 5 years earlier in 1954.

EX-SENATOR MAURINE NEUBERGER

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AND EX-REPRESENTATIVE ROLAND LIBONATI

Anderson contended that listening devices were used in investigations of Libonati, [redacted] and other members of Congress. Neither Libonati nor [redacted] telephones were ever the direct subjects of a FBI electronic surveillance. However, they were monitored on electronic sources installed to provide coverage of organized crime activities. [redacted] was monitored on a wiretap installed in a New York City establishment to effect coverage of representatives of the hoodlum element who regularly congregated there.

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Libonati's voice was monitored at a Chicago gathering place for organized crime figures which was the subject of microphone coverage.

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REPRESENTATIVE GERALD FORD

In connection with FBI coverage of lobbyist Fred Black's Washington, D. C., hotel room, Anderson states that a FBI listening device picked up a telephone conversation between [REDACTED] reportedly an Avco employee, and Congressman Gerald Ford. During microphone coverage of Black's hotel room, a person using the name [REDACTED] was monitored on 4/24/63 making a telephone call to Congressman Ford's office in which he inquired "Is he back yet?? [REDACTED] was then overheard to advise "Jerry" concerning certain contracts and remarked that someone must have made a complaint to the Department of Justice inasmuch as an investigative inquiry was made. It could not be determined exactly what this [REDACTED] was referring to and it is emphasized that only [REDACTED] end of the conversation was overheard. No wire-tap was involved.

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Anderson claimed that in the [REDACTED] case, the FBI learned that Robert Winter-burger, characterized as a fixer by Anderson, sometimes operated out of Congressman Ford's office. Our investigation reveals that Winter-burger was acquainted with [REDACTED] and had introduced [REDACTED] to a subject who desired some influential aid in getting an early parole from prison. Our investigation did not indicate any connection between Winter-burger and Ford's office. However, previous newspaper articles quoted Congressman Ford as being acquainted with Winter-burger and that Winter-burger had visited his office on occasions.

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In response to the Director's request for facts of Andersons' allegations.

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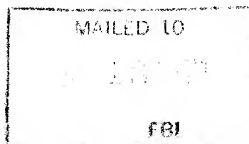
May 12, 1971

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

My dear Congressman:

It was typically thoughtful of you to comment
as you did on the floor of the House on May 10th regarding
my 47th Anniversary as Director of the FBI. You may be
sure your kind remarks are deeply appreciated and that your
continuing support of this Bureau and my administration of it
means a great deal to my associates and me.

Sincerely yours,



J. Edgar Hoover

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- 1 - Detroit
- 1 - Mr. M. A. Jones - Enclosure (detached)

NOTE: Congressman Ford is on the Special Correspondents List.

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May 16, 1971

I am a great admirer of the great bulk of our country and this great land of ours in general, and thanking J. Edgar Hoover and the dedicated men and women of the FBI for their many outstanding contributions to our great Nation. It is my sincere hope that he will continue the stewardship of the Bureau for many years to come, and that since, which have become the trademark of the FBI, will increase manifold in the future.

Mr. COLLIER. Mr. Speaker, since the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. Gray) who is now in the chair, I would like to make a tribute to Mr. J. Edgar Hoover. I want the Record to indicate because the bill which I am sponsoring will go before the gentleman's committee.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. Gray). Without objection, the remarks of the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. Gray) will appear immediately following the remarks of the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. Collins).

There was no objection.

Mr. GROSS. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. COLLIER. I would be delighted to yield to the gentleman from Iowa.

Mr. GROSS asked and was given permission to revise and extend his remarks.

Mr. GROSS. Mr. Speaker, I want to join with my colleagues in commending the gentleman from Illinois for taking this time to pay a well-deserved tribute to J. Edgar Hoover. Few men have served the country longer, and none with greater distinction over such a span of years than Mr. Hoover. May he continue this service.

Mr. GERALD R. FORD. Mr. Speaker, I am pleased to join with my colleagues in honoring J. Edgar Hoover, a great American, as he begins his 45th year as Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Today we honor the Nation's truly capable men who at the age of 22 took over a scandal-ridden Government bureau and turned it into a criminal investigation agency ranked the most efficient. We all know J. Edgar Hoover as the individual who almost single-handedly revolutionized and professionalized law enforcement in America.

There are those who attack J. Edgar Hoover for his zeal in guarding the internal security of America, his fervor in tracking down Communist subversion. They would not you believe that Mr. Hoover is the destroyer of individual rights, an anti-civil libertarian. Yet the truth is that Mr. Hoover was one of the few Americans to vigorously oppose the rounding up and internment of a million Japanese-Americans during World War II. That should be sufficient to establish him as a man concerned about the individual rights of others.

I personally have no fears about electronic surveillance by the FBI. I believe Mr. Hoover when he says the FBI has never "trapped" or "bugged" anyone without the approval of the Attorney General.

As when I try to have had the service of J. Edgar Hoover. Under J. Edgar Hoover, the FBI has become an American version of Scotland Yard—and no greater compliment could be paid to its Director.

Mr. ARENDT. Mr. Speaker, 47 years ago today J. Edgar Hoover became Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. For myself, on behalf of the people I am privileged to represent, I extend to him our hearty congratulations, our very best wishes, and a "thank you" beyond measure.

I am glad for this opportunity to acknowledge to him our debt of gratitude and extend our admiration of him and continued confidence in him. Under his guidance the FBI has become the most efficient and most respected law enforcement agency in the world. It has been the guard in our civil liberties and the protector of our free society, and the ordered Liberty under law.

No one is more qualified to salute the quality of leadership furnished by J. Edgar Hoover. His devotion to country and dedication to public service, than anyone who served under him. I should like to send a letter of appreciation from a fellow Illinoisan who has served with the FBI for 27 years. His name is Harvey G. Foster, and he now resides in Park Ridge, Ill.

He wrote me as follows:

Park Ridge, Ill.
April 16, 1971.

Hon. LARRY C. ARENDT,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Congressman Arendt: I have become increasingly concerned with the state of comments from commentators, Congressmen and others asking for J. Edgar Hoover's removal or retirement from the FBI. I spent 27 years in the FBI, the last 15 years in charge of various units around the country. I chose to retire and am very happy with a very challenging, pleasant career.

I cite my career in the FBI only because I want to comment, I have enthusiastically about Mr. Hoover and the FBI.

I found Mr. Hoover the most dedicated public official I ever met. He then for the FBI and for the United States—these are his constant underlying interests. I found him a superb administrator, a superb diplomat and something seldom mentioned, even quicker to recognize and reward outstanding service on the part of the FBI employees.

He bent over backwards to assure that the FBI investigations were impartial and objective and that every one's personal and constitutional rights were to be considered inviolate. I think the personality is very responsible for leading law enforcement to an early recognition of the necessity for this. He is an able and an exceptional man who has chosen to devote all his energies to a governmental agency and who has made it an agency looked up to and respected by the public and by law enforcement around the world.

I see him criticized as being a publicity seeker for himself and his agency. Certainly he has sought to keep the FBI before the American public, but this is because he was long and acute enough to recognize that the FBI would rise or fall as an investigative body depending on the confidence the public had in it.

to pursue an investigation. If it were unknown or in discredit, its investigations would quickly regress.

I read that he should retire because of his age. I think this should be interpreted in the light of the man. I have seen no lessening of his mental powers and I personally feel that if there were he would be the first to retire. I am interested in efficiency in government as well as economy in government. Mr. Hoover could have retired at full pay some years ago, so actually we are getting his services for nothing. I can't imagine a greater bargain.

I read that he and his organization are suspected of tapping the telephone of some Congressmen. I know from experience that this is absolutely impossible. The FBI scrupulously follows the U.S. Department of Justice regulations on this and there were none made without the express authority, not of Mr. Hoover, but of the Department of Justice for whom the FBI is an investigative arm.

I read that he is not adjusting to the times. How can this be said when both he and his agency have steadily and most successfully adjusted with the times since 1917?

I read that he should have been grooming a successor. Who says he hasn't? But his successor, when that time comes, will be appointed by the President, the Attorney General, and by Congress. Does any one think they would negatively select a person who had been publicly ridiculed as a successor? I doubt it.

In sum then, I feel that I can attest that Mr. Hoover is an able executive, and administrator with few peers in Government, and I would like to suggest that he is one of the greatest bargains in Government. I would hope that he would be permitted to continue to serve the country with his obvious dedication until such time as he steps down—and that he be supported in this endeavor partially as a reward for long and dedicated service, but more importantly, because in this day of permissiveness that in him we have a dedicated person of integrity in a most respectable position of trust, where permissiveness would be disastrous.

Most sincerely,

H. G. Foster.

Mr. SMITH of California. Mr. Speaker, 47 years ago today a young Justice Department attorney was called to the Office of the then Attorney General Nathan P. Stone. Stone spoke abruptly, saying: "Young man, I want you to be the Acting Director of the Bureau of Investigation."

This man was John Edgar Hoover and he has directed the FBI ever since. But young Hoover's answer to Stone was qualified. He said he would accept the job under certain conditions—that the Bureau must be divorced from politics and not be a catch-all for political hacks; that appointments be based on merit and promotions based on ability; and that the Bureau would be responsible only to the Attorney General of the United States. Stone agreed.

So 29-year-old J. Edgar Hoover took over a floundering, inefficient, politically controlled organization and built it into the most respected, most effective, most efficient investigation agency in the world.

Writing to the dean of Columbia Law School a few months after appointing Mr. Hoover Stone said:

I look to you with confidence for the future of the FBI.

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Ford Backs FBI in Dowdy Case

By Arnold B. Sawislak
 United Press International

House Republican Leader Gerald R. Ford defended the FBI yesterday against charges of impropriety in its electronic surveillance in a criminal investigation that led to indictment of Rep. John Dowdy (D-Tex.) on bribery charges.

Ford told newsmen the surveillance in Dowdy's Capitol office last year, involving an FBI informant with a hidden tape recorder, was authorized by court order. And in a criminal investigation, said Ford, "I am not sure we should differentiate in a case like that between a citizen and a member of Congress."

Ford said that House Democratic Leader Hale Boggs, who has charged FBI tapping, should present any evidence he has "to a responsible com-

mittee ... so that congress and the public will see it in black and white."

Herbert R. Rainwater, San Bernardino, Calif., the commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars also came to the defense of the FBI and director J. Edgar Hoover.

Rainwater said in a statement that the same Americans who have been "nibbling away" trying to destroy the military are now attempting to undermine and destroy the FBI.

Naming Sens. Edmund S. Muskie, Edward M. Kennedy, George S. McGovern and Hubert Humphrey, he said "would-be presidential candidates have suddenly found it expedient to patronize the bureau and its director."

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TO Mr. Bishop

DATE: 10-20-71

FROM M. A. Jones

SUBJECT CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD
(REPUBLICAN - MICHIGAN)
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Reference is made to memorandum dated 10-20-71 from Mr. Felt to Mr. Tolson, captioned as above, in which it was noted that captioned Congressman had contacted Mr. Felt concerning his alleged statement in the press to the effect that the Director should resign. Congressman Ford explained that this story had been reported in "The Evening Star" on 10-19-71, and he was most concerned because of it. Mr. Ford wanted his position made known to the Director and said if we were able to locate any copies of this story, he would appreciate having them.

The Crime Research Section has conducted a thorough review of all issues of "The Evening Star" dated 10-19-71, and no references to this story were located.

[redacted] a clerical employee of the Crime Research Section, has advised that he saw this story reported on a news program between 6:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. yesterday evening on local Channel 7, WMAL-TV. [redacted] said that Ford made a statement to the effect that he felt all Federal Government officials should be required by law to retire upon reaching the age of 70. He was then asked if this applied also to Mr. Hoover, and Mr. Ford replied that even though the FBI and Director Hoover had done an outstanding job that Mr. Hoover would also be subject to the law proposed by Mr. Ford.

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That Inspector Bowers contact Congressman Ford in connection with the foregoing and inform him that we have been unable to locate any newspaper reports relating to this incident, although the above information was on television on the evening of 10-19-71.

1 - Mr. Tolson
1 - Mr. Felt

1 - Mr. Bishop
1 - M. A. Jones

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TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: 10-20-71

FROM : W. M. FELT *X*

SUBJECT: CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD
(Republican - Michigan)
INFORMATION CONCERNING

At 3:15 p.m. today, 10-20-71, Congressman Ford called for Mr. Tolson and in the latter's absence was referred to the writer. Congressman Ford appeared to be very concerned as to the matter and requested that the following information be furnished to the Director immediately.

Ford stated that earlier this afternoon he was accosted by other members on the floor of the House who inquired, "Why did you say J. Edgar Hoover should resign?" When he asked these members where they ever got such an idea, they indicated that there was a story to this effect in the Washington Star for Tuesday, 10-19-71, and something on the radio Tuesday evening. Ford has not personally seen or heard such a story in the news media.

Ford wanted the Director to know that he was with members of the press yesterday evening at which time a reporter asked him whether or not J. Edgar Hoover should resign. To this question Ford replied, "Hoover has done a great job and, of course, I do not want him to resign." Subsequently, during the news questioning, Ford made a statement to the effect that he personally felt that there should be legislation requiring all Federal officials, including Congressmen, judges, and heads of Government agencies, to retire at age 70. A reporter then inquired as to whether or not this proposed law would apply to J. Edgar Hoover. Ford replied that it would apply to Hoover and that it would apply to all other Government officials as well.

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Ford explained that if any news story has broken as intimated it must have resulted from distortions of the above question and answer period in which he participated. Ford wanted the Director to know of his wholehearted support and wanted his position made known to the Director.

He does not show any regrets. H
We do not have any information concerning such a story in the Washington Star or on the radio; however, inquiries are being made to run it down. Ford requested that if we were able to locate these stories he would appreciate having copies thereof. I assured him that we would do this.

RECOMMENDATION: That this be referred to Mr. Bishop for handling.

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1 - Mr. Bishop

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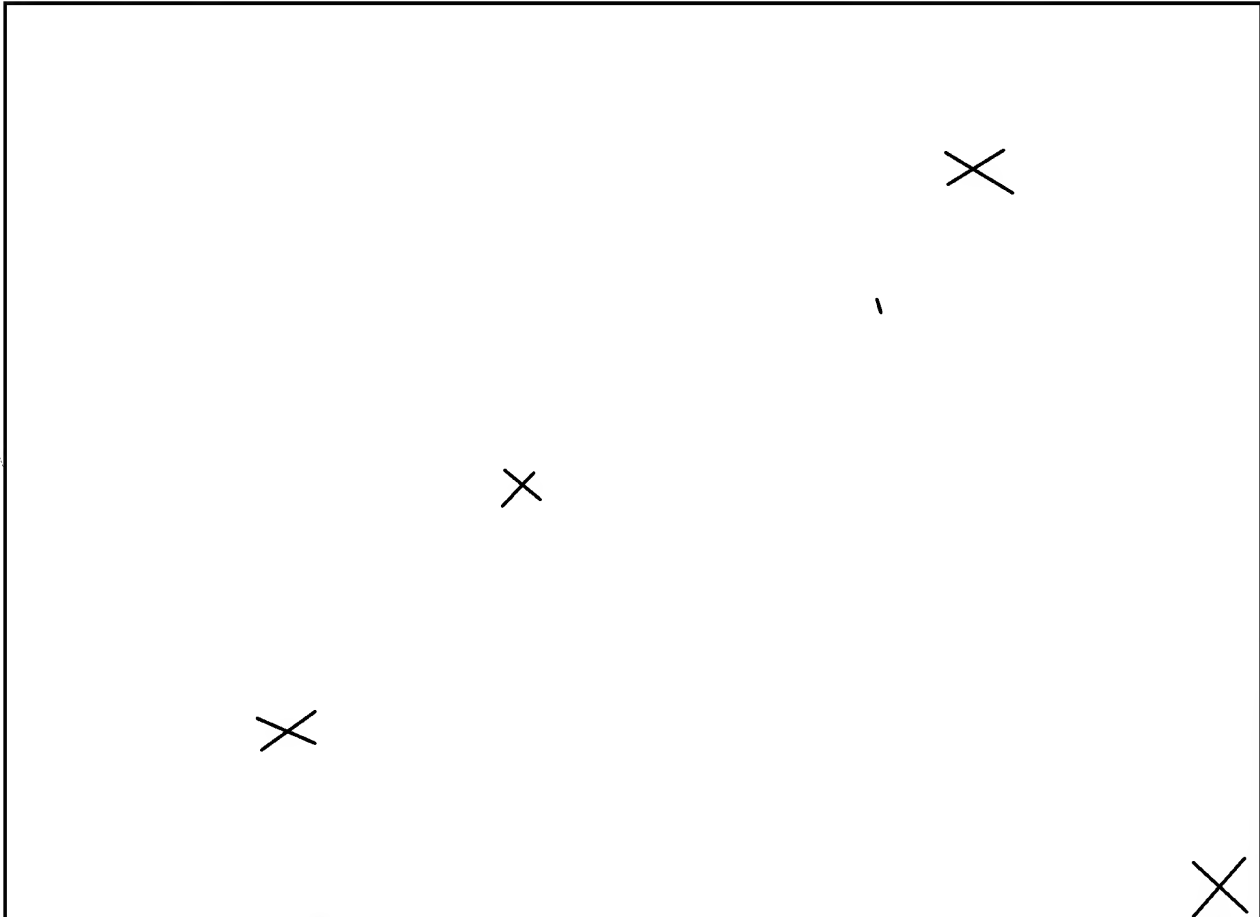
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GERALD R. FORD
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

MICHIGAN OFFICE:
425 CHERRY STREET SE.
GRAND RAPIDS
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Congress of the United States
Office of the Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

September 12, 1972

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L. Patrick Gray, III
Acting Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20530

Dear Mr. Gray:

Many thanks for your kind invitation to attend the graduation exercises of the FBI National Academy and the dedication of the FBI Academy on September 15 at 10:30 a.m.

I regret that I am unable to be in Quantico at that time but extend my very best wishes to all the graduates and the dedication ceremony.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely,

G. R. Ford
Gerald R. Ford, M.C.

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November 15, 1972

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congressman Ford:

My FBI associates and I certainly were
pleased to learn of your re-election to the House
and this brief note of congratulations is just to
let you know how glad we are to have the oppor-
tunity to continue working with you in service
to our country.

With warmest best wishes.

Sincerely,

Pat Gray

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GERALD R. FORD
FIFTH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

MICHIGAN OFFICE
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Congress of the United States
Office of the Minority Leader
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

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Mr. L. Patrick Gray, III
Acting Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

Dear Pat:

Thank you most sincerely for your thoughtful letter of November 17 congratulating me on my recent re-election to the House of Representatives.

I appreciate very much your thinking of me as you did. I am looking forward to the convening of the 93rd Congress and hope that it will be productive in many ways.

I was terribly sorry to learn of your recent hospitalization and hope that by the time you receive this letter you will be well on your way to a complete recovery.

Warmest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Gerald R. Ford, M.C.

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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION AGAINST DESIGNATED VICE PRESIDENT
GERALD FORD, WAUKESHA, WISCONSIN, 10/26/73.

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DESIGNATED VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, WHO WILL TENTATIVELY
APPEAR AT THE WAUKESHA EXPOSITION CENTER, COUNTY TRUNK ROAD
FT, FRIDAY, 10/26 NEXT.

SOURCE ADVISED YAWF MEMBERS PLAN TO ASSEMBLE AT YAWF
HEADQUARTER OFFICES, 150 EAST JUNEAU, MILWAUKEE, WIS.,
APPROXIMATELY 4:30 P.M., 10/26 NEXT, AND DEPART THOSE SAME
OFFICES AT APPROXIMATELY 5 P.M., 10/26 NEXT, ENROUTE TO
WAUKESHA EXPOSITION CENTER.

SOURCE ADVISED PROPOSE OF DEMONSTRATION TO DISPLAY
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CONSISTING OF APPROXIMATELY 12-15 INDIVIDUALS AND EXPECTED
TO BE NON-VIOLENCE. SOURCE STATED IF ENOUGH SUPPORT IS
NOT OBTAINED FOR DEMONSTRATION, SUCH MAY BE CANCELLED.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS ADVISED RE ABOVE , INSTANT DATE:

SA [REDACTED] SECRET SERVICE, MILWAUKEE,
WIS., 8:32 A.M.;

DETECTIVE [REDACTED] SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT SQUAD, MIPD,
8:38 A.M.;

SHEFF ED O'CONNOR, WAUKESHA COUNTY SHERIFF'S
DEPARTMENT, 8:53 A.M.

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SA [REDACTED] ADVISED HIS OFFICE CURRENTLY
ONLY AWARE OF TRAVEL OF DESIGNATED VICE PRESIDENT FORD TO
WAUKESHA EXPOSITION CENTER, WAUKESHA, WIS., THROUGH
NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS. [REDACTED] ADVISED HE WOULD CONTACT
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ITINERARY WEEKEND OF 10/26/ NEXT.

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Date 10/19/73

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VICE-PRESIDENT DESIGNATE, GERALD R.
FORD, 10/17/73, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, THREAT AGAINST
THE PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM BALTIMORE (175-NEW)

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UNSUB; TELEPHONIC THREAT AGAINST VICE-PRESIDENT DESIGNATE,
GERALD R. FORD, 10/17/73, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, THREAT AGAINST
THE PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT.

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AT 5:05 P.M., 8/18/73, AGENT [REDACTED] U.S. SECRET
SERVICE, BALTIMORE, ADVISED THAT THEY HAD RECEIVED A CALL FROM
BALTIMORE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT, STATING THAT THE CAPLAN
BROTHERS GLASS COMPANY, 207 N. CENTRAL AVENUE, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND,
ASVISED 10/18/73 THAT THEY HAD RECEIVED A THREAT TO KILL
GERALD FORD ON THEIR NIGHT ANSWERING SERVICE.

AGENT [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HIS AGENCY IS IN POSSESSION OF
A COPY OF THE TAPE WHICH HAS THREE CALLS FROM WHAT APPEARS TO
BE A YOUNG NEGRO MALE. THE FIRST CALL WAS TOTALLY OBSCENE,
THE SECOND CALL STATING HE WAS GOING TO KILL GERALD FORD
ON SATURDAY, AND BLOW UP THE WORLD BY BLOWING UP THE NORTHEAST
MARKET. THE THIRD CALL WAS A COMBINATION OF THE FIRST TWO
CALLS.

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AGENT [] STATED THAT DURING THE FIRST CALL, THE NAME [] BALTIMORE WAS MENTIONED. AGENT [] STATED THAT DURING INVESTIGATION, IT WAS DETERMINED CAPLAN BROTHERS GLASS COMPANY HAD INSTALLED A WINDOW IN [] RESIDENCE ON 10/17/73. BALTIMORE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT ADVISED SECRET SERVICE THAT [] [] NEGRO MALE, AGE 32, HAD THROWN AN OBJECT THROUGH [] WINDOW EARLIER IN THE WEEK.

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AGENT [] ALSO STATED THAT [] HAS A SON, [] NEGRO MALE, AGE 23, WHO HAS BEEN ARRESTED SEVERAL TIMES.

AGENT [] STATED SECRET SERVICE IS ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW BOTH INDIVIDUALS AT PRESENT TIME.

ALL INFORMATION RECEIVED HAS COME FROM U. S. SECRET SERVICE, AND UACB, NO LHM WILL FOLLOW.

BALTIMORE WILL KEEP BUREAU ADVISED OF ANY PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS. BALTIMORE CONDUCTING NO INVESTIGATION.

WFO ADVISE MPD AND CAPITOL POLICE RE ABOVE.

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12:31 AM 10/27/73 NITEL TJL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI ATTN: INTD
FROM: MILWAUKEE (100-21594)

DEMONSTRATION AGAINST DESIGNATED VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD,
WAUKESHA, WISCONSIN, 10/26/73, SPONSORED BY YOUTH AGAINST WAR
AND FASCISM. IS - WWP.

SOURCE WHO HAS SUPPLIED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST AD-
VISED 10/26 LAST THAT SHORTLY AFTER 5:PM THAT SAME DATE APPROXI-
MATELY 15 MEMBERS MILWAUKEE BRANCH, YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND FAS-
CISM (YWF) DEPARTED YW HEADQUARTER OFFICES 150 E. JUNEAU, MILW.,
WIS., IN ROUTE WAUKESHA EXPOSITION CENTER, WAUKESHA, WISC.

SOURCE ADVISED AT APPROXIMATELY 6PM 10/26 LAST YWF MEMBERS BE-
GAN PICKETING EXPOSITION CENTER WHERE DESIGNATED VICE PRESIDENT GER-
ALD FORD WAS DELIVERING SPEECH. DEMONSTRATORS SHOUTED ANTAGONISMS
TOWARD U.S. MIDDLE EAST POLICE AND WERE PEACEFUL. SOURCE ADVISED
DEMONSTRATION TERMINATED APPROXIMATELY 7:00PM 10/26 LAST WITHOUT
INCIDENT. SECRET SERVICE MILW. AND WAUKESHA CO S.O. AWARE OF A-
BOVE AND PRESENT DURING DEMONSTRATION.
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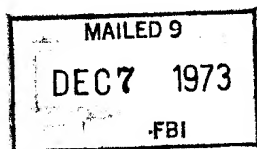
December 7, 1973

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
The Vice President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Vice President:

Congratulations on becoming the fortieth
Vice President of this great Nation of ours. My
associates and I wish you every possible success.

Sincerely,



Clarence Kelley

1 - Congressional Services Office

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TO DIRECTOR

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FROM NORFOLK (100-5975) (P) 2P

VISIT OF VICE-PRESIDENT GERALD FORD TO WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA,
12/15 - 16/73. PROTECTION OF VICE PRESIDENT.

U. S. SECRET SERVICE, NORFOLK, TODAY ADVISED VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD FORD WOULD VISIT WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA,
ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15 AND 16, 1973. VICE
PRESIDENT FORD WILL ARRIVE EITHER BY AUTOMOBILE AT 11:30 AM
OR PLANE AT 1:30 PM, 12/15/73 AND WILL PROBABLY LEAVE
WILLIAMSBURG LATE THAT NIGHT EN ROUTE TO HIS HOME IN NORTHERN
VIRGINIA, HOWEVER, HE HAS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED TO ATTEND
A BRUNCH FOR 9:30 AM, SUNDAY MORNING IN WILLIAMSBURG.
VP FORD WILL STAY AT THE WILLIAMSBURG INN. THE OCCASION
FOR HIS VISIT IS APPARENTLY A BLACK TIE BANQUET BEING HELD
SATURDAY NIGHT TO PAY TRIBUTE TO THE OUTGOING GOVERNOR OF
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VIRGINIA LINWOOD HOLTON AND THERE WILL BE MANY DIGNITARIES
AT THIS BANQUET, POSSIBLY INCLUDING SOVIET EMBASSADOR TO
THE UNITED STATES, ANATOLY F. DOBRYNIN.

ESTABLISHED SOURCES HAVE BEEN ALERTED TO FURNISH ANY
INFORMATION OR OTHER DISRUPTIVE ACTIVITIES CONCERNING THIS
VISIT WHICH WILL BE CLOSELY FOLLOWED BY THIS OFFICE.

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6:50PM NITEL 12/17/73 VLC

TO DIRECTOR

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FROM NORFOLK (100-5975) (RUC) 2P

VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD TO WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA
12/15-16/73. PROTECTION OF VICE PRESIDENT.

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RE NORFOLK TEL TO BUREAU AND WFO 12/13/73.

SA U. S. SECRET SERVICE, NORFOLK, VA., TODAY
ADVISED VICE PRESIDENT FORD ARRIVED AT WILLIAMSBURG DURING
AFTERNOON OF 12/15/73, BY HELICOPTER AND DEPARTED WILLIAMSBURG
AT 8:15 A.M. 12/16/73 BY LIMOUSINE. DURING HIS VISIT, WHICH WAS
SPONSORED BY THE PRESIDENT OF COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG CARLISLE
HUMELSINE WHO WAS HOLDING A DINNER AND DANCE IN HONOR OF LINWOOD
HOLTON, GOVERNOR OF VIRGINIA, VICE PRESIDENT FORD ATTEND A
DINNER AT CARTER'S GROVE PLANTATION, OWNED AND OPERATED BY
COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG, AND AFTERWARD ATTENDED A DANCE AND
MUSICAL PRESENTATION AT THE GOVERNOR'S PALACE IN COLONIAL
WILLIAMSBURG. HE STAYED OVERNIGHT AT THE BRACKEN HOUSE, LIKEWISE
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OPERATED BY COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG. NO PROBLEMS, THREATS, OR INCIDENTS OCCURRED DURING HIS VISIT. RICHARD SESSOMS, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EVENTS, COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG, 12/17/73, ADVISED THAT AMONG THE 70 INVITED GUESTS WHO ATTENDED WAS SOVIET AMBASSADOR TO U. S. ANATOLY F. DOBRYNIN. DOBRYNIN ARRIVED DURING AFTERNOON OF 12/15/73 BY LIMOUSINE AND LIKEWISE ATTENDED THE ABOVE SOCIAL FUNCTIONS. HE DEPARTED WILLIAMSBURG AFTER 1 P. M. 12/16/73. THERE WERE NO THREATS OR INCIDENTS CONNECTED WITH HIS VISIT ACCORDING TO SESSOMS AND COP ANDREW RUTHERFORD, WILLIAMSBURG PD.

NO LHM OR TRAVEL CARD BEING SUBMITTED CONCERNING VISIT OF DOBRYNIN, UACB.

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October 12, 1973

BY LIAISON

General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Haig:

Enclosed herewith are summaries
of information on the four individuals you discussed
with Director Kelley earlier today in Kansas City
by telephone.

No inquiries were conducted to
endeavor to bring this material up-to-date.
It is comprised of information readily available
in this Bureau's Washington Headquarters files.

Sincerely,

Nicholas F. Callahan
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CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD, JR.

The central files of the FBI reflect that an applicant-type investigation was conducted by the FBI in 1942 concerning the captioned individual. No pertinent derogatory information concerning Ford was developed during the aforementioned investigation.

Our files reveal that an article appeared in Washington newspapers during February, 1971, carried by the Associated Press, indicating that Representative Ford omitted reporting \$11,500 in campaign contributions during the Fall, 1970, election campaign. The checks were reportedly signed over by Ford to the Republican Headquarters when at the same time a sum similar to the \$11,500; namely, \$12,233, was turned back to Ford's district to pay off post-election debts. The article identified the checks specifically and quoted Ford as saying that under the interpretation of the Corrupt Practices Act as it has been interpreted over the years, Ford's action was within the law.

Our files show no additional pertinent information of a derogatory nature which can be identified with Congressman Ford. (94-40611)

NOTE: Per request of Associate Director Nicholas P. Callahan, 10-12-73

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Callahan

DATE: 11/30/73

FROM : T. J. Jenkins

SUBJECT: DESIRE OF VICE PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE
GERALD R. FORD TO VISIT
FBI ACADEMY, QUANTICO, VIRGINIA

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On 11/27/73, Captain [redacted] Police Department, Grand Rapids, Michigan, appeared as a guest lecturer before the Law Enforcement Executive Development Seminar held at the Academy. Captain [redacted] arrived at the Academy November 26th.

During conversation with Captain [redacted] prior to his departure after his presentation, he casually mentioned that Vice President-Designate Gerald R. Ford almost came with him to the Academy. He explained that a couple of weeks before, Ford had been in Grand Rapids at which time he had visited with Captain [redacted] (Captain [redacted] has been a member of the Grand Rapids Police Department for 25 years and informed that he was a very close personal friend of Ford's.) On this visit in Grand Rapids, [redacted] mentioned his scheduled appearance at the FBI National Academy as a guest lecturer to Ford. Ford expressed great interest in this matter and told [redacted] that when the latter arrived in Washington, D. C., on November 26th, he, Ford, would meet him and go with [redacted] to the Academy because he had heard so much about it and was very desirous of seeing the facilities.

Captain [redacted] went on to explain that up until the time he left Grand Rapids on Monday, November 26th, he had good intentions of seeing Ford on his arrival in Washington and both coming to the Academy together. However, just before he left Grand Rapids he received a call from Ford explaining that he was tied up with the Congressional Hearings on his nomination as Vice President and would not be able to see him but did hope to visit our Academy in the future.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information only.

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Mr. Holmes	
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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION PROTESTING APPEARANCE OF US VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, COLUMBUS, OHIO, 1/25/74, SPONSORED BY
NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD (NLG), YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY (YIP),
AND ATTICA BRIGADE (AB) SM.

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ON 6-28-92

TODAY A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE
INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT POSTERS ARE BEING CIRCULATED
IN THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY (OSU), COLUMBUS, OHIO, AREA URGING
PERSONS TO SUPPORT THE "IMPEACH NIXON MOVEMENT" BY CONFRONTING
VICE PRESIDENT FORD AT THE SHERATON HOTEL, COLUMBUS, OHIO, SEVEN
O'CLOCK PM, 1/25/74. THIS SOURCE ADVISED THAT SOME OF THE
SPONSORS LISTED ON POSTERS ARE THE NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD, YOUTH
INTERNATIONAL PARTY (YIPPIE) AND THE ATTICA BRIGADE. SOURCE
ADVISED THAT DEMONSTRATION WILL TAKE FORM OF PICKETING AND
LEAFLETTING. HE ESTIMATES DEMONSTRATION WILL BE MADE BY
ABOUT TWENTY PERSONS AND WILL BE LEAD BY

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REPRESENTATIVE OF US SECRET SERVICE, COLUMBUS, OHIO,
VERIFIED SCHEDULED APPEARANCE OF VICE PRESIDENT FORD, COLUMBUS,
OHIO, 1/25/74. VP WILL ARRIVE COLUMBUS AIRPORT FOUR O'CLOCK PM
AND WILL ATTEND ANNUAL SPORTS BANQUET, SHERATON HOTEL 6:50PM
TO 10:30 PM. HE IS SCHEDULED TO DEPART COLUMBUS 11:30PM SAME
DATE.

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US SECRET SERVICE, US ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, COLUMBUS
POLICE DEPARTMENT, ALL OF COLUMBUS, OHIO, ADVISED OF ABOVE
INFORMATION.

CINCINNATI AT COLUMBUS OHIO WILL FOLLOW ABOVE AND REPORT
RESULTS OF DEMONSTRATION TO BUREAU.

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VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD TO JOHNSTOWN,
PENNSYLVANIA AND COLUMBUS, OHIO, 1/25/74, IS- MISC.

1973 MINNESOTA LICENSE [] REGISTERED TO []

[] NO DESCRIPTION AVAILABLE, IVANHOE, MINNESOTA ON A
1966 BLUE FORD 4 DOOR. MINNEAPOLIS INDICES NEGATIVE.

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SA [] UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, MINNEAPOLIS,
WAS ADVISED AT 5:58 PM OF THE ABOVE.

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RE CLEVELAND TEL INSTANT.

SA [] ALSO WAS FURNISHED BACKGROUND INFO FROM RETEL.

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FROM CLEVELAND

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VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD TO JOHNSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA
AND COLUMBUS, OHIO, 1-25-74, IS - MISC.

ON 1-25-74, CV T-1, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST
ADVISED FIVE INDIVIDUALS DEPARTED THE STUDENT CENTER, KENT STATE
UNIVERSITY, KENT, OHIO AT APPROXIMATELY 4:30 PM THIS DATE, BELIEVED
TO BE THE CONTINGENT OF THE ATTICA BRIGADE (AB), HEADING FOR THE
DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD AT COLUMBUS, OHIO,
7:30 PM, THIS DATE. SOURCE ADVISED THE INDIVIDUALS, SEX NOT DETERMINED
WERE DRIVING AN OLD BLUE VEHICLE, MAKE NOT KNOWN, BEARING 1973 MINNESOTA

LICENSE NO PROTEST SIGNS OBSERVED.

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THE AB IS A STUDENT BASED ORGANIZATION FOUNDED IN NYC IN THE FALL OF 1971. THE AB CONSIDERS ITSELF TO BE AN ANTI-IMPERIALIST ORGANIZATION WHICH VIEWS "US IMPERIALISM AS THE MAIN ENEMY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD." THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU) HAS SIGNIFICANTLY INFILTRATED THE AB AND PLAYS A MAJOR ROLE IN AB POLICIES, DECISIONS AND ACTIVITIES.

THE RU WAS FOUNDED IN EARLY 1968 AND IS A MILITANT, SEMICLANDESTINE ORGANIZATION. ITS OBJECTIVES, AS SET OUT IN ITS PUBLICATION, ARE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A UNITED FRONT AGAINST IMPERIALISM, THE FOSTERING OF REVOLUTIONARY WORKING CLASS UNITY AND LEADERSHIP IN STRUGGLE, AND THE FORMATION OF A COMMUNIST PARTY BASED ON MARXISM LENINISM MAO TSE-TUNG THOUGHT, LEADING TO THE OVERTHROW OF THE US GOVERNMENT BY FORCE AND VIOLENCE.

SA [REDACTED] US SECRET SERVICE ADVISED OF THE ABOVE AT 4:55 PM THIS DATE.
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RE CLEVELAND TELETYPE TO BUREAU, 1/24/74. AND CLEVELAND
CALL TO CINCINNATI.

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MINNEAPOLIS IDENTIFY 1973 MINNESOTA LICENSE AND
ADVISE CINCINNATI AND LOCAL SECRET SERVICE.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. W. R. Wannall

FROM : W. A. Branigan

SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENT'S MEETING WITH
SOVIET AMBASSADOR 1/14/74

1 - Mr. W. R. Wannall
1 - Mr. W. A. Branigan
DATE: 1/18/74
1 - Mr. R. H. Haynes
1 - Mr. V. H. Weimar

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Memorandum W. A. Branigan to Mr. W. R. Wannall, dated 1/10/74, advised of information provided by representative of Section CI-1 on 1/9/74 to Major General John M. Dunn, Military and Foreign Affairs Advisor to Vice President Gerald R. Ford, relative to the captioned event.

At his request, on 1/16/74 SA [] again met with General Dunn who provided the following information:

The meeting between Vice President and Mrs. Ford with Ambassador and Mrs. Dobrynin, occurred, as scheduled, on 1/14/74. It was totally a private and informal event which lasted nearly four hours, and had as its prime purpose, apparently, the opportunity for Ambassador Dobrynin to ingratiate himself with the Vice President. This was best highlighted perhaps, after some two and one half hours, when Ambassador Dobrynin suggested to the Vice President that in view of the informality of the evening could they not refer to each other on a first name basis. Dobrynin then suggested, after a pause, that the Vice President at least refer to him as Anatoli.

The Ambassador commented at some length concerning his family, formal training and professional background, as well as reciting in detail his career in the foreign service. By way of entertainment two films were shown, one of which concerned tiger hunting in the USSR with Dobrynin expressing the hope that Mr. Ford may have the opportunity to participate in this sport on some future occasion. There was little discussion of political matters, and then only at the

1 105 13784 (Anatoli F. Dobrynin)

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Memo to Mr. W. B. Wannall
Re: Vice President's Meeting With
Soviet Ambassador 1/14/74

initiative of the Vice-President. MBFR (Mutual and Balanced Force Reductions) and the Mid East crisis were discussed, and coupled by Dobrynin with a reiteration of his desire for a good working relationship with the Office of the Vice-President.

Inasmuch as General Dunn desired that the Bureau be aware of the above, it is being provided herein as a matter of record.

ACTION:

None. For information.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

1 - Mr. W. R. Wannall
1 - Mr. W. A. Branigan

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TO : Mr. W. R. Wannall *Wann*

FROM : W. A. Branigan *WAB*

SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENT'S MEETING WITH
SOVIET AMBASSADOR 1/14/74

Memorandum H. A. Boynton, Jr., to Mr. W. R. Wannall, dated 1/2/74, captioned as above, advised that on 12/28/73, Major General John M. Dunn, Military and Foreign Affairs Adviser to Vice President Gerald R. Ford, indicated that the Vice President had accepted an invitation for him and his wife to attend a private dinner party with Soviet Ambassador Anatoli F. Dobrynin and his wife at the Soviet Embassy, Washington, D. C., on 1/14/74. In that connection, General Dunn requested any information in the possession of the Bureau concerning Dobrynin or the physical aspects of a visit to the Soviet Embassy which would assist General Dunn in briefing the Vice President. The aforementioned memorandum approved that a knowledgeable representative of Section CI-1 meet with General Dunn to discuss this matter prior to the 1/14/74 event.

On 1/9/74, SA [REDACTED] Section CI-1, met with General Dunn at the Executive Office Building, Washington, D. C. It is noted that at the outset General Dunn expressed his admiration for the FBI and in the course of the conversation which ensued it was quite obvious that he is very favorably disposed toward the Bureau.

General Dunn was given a comprehensive briefing of the personality and character of Dobrynin, based on information we have acquired during his tenure in the U.S. for over a 12-year period. It was pointed out to General Dunn that we do not conduct an active investigation of Dobrynin in view of his status as Ambassador E. and P. for the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, which the General fully understood. [REDACTED]

General Dunn pointed out he considered such information important to his briefing of the Vice President in view of the fact that during Vice President Agnew's tenure the Soviet Embassy

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had all but ignored Mr. Agnew and members of his staff, whereas since the confirmation of Vice President Ford, the Soviets have been very obvious in their efforts to cultivate Vice President Ford and members of his staff. Most of all, he pointed out, his greatest desire is that there should be no adverse publicity growing from a private meeting between Vice President Ford and Dobrynin. In this connection, General Dunn was advised that in 3/65, Dobrynin did have the then newly elected Vice President and Mrs. Hubert H. Humphrey to a similar private dinner party at the Soviet Embassy, Washington, D. C. SA [] opined that as a voting member of the Central Committee of the Communist Party, Soviet Union, Dobrynin undoubtedly would make an assessment of Vice President Ford during their engagement, and report this in detail to Moscow.

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SA [] also offered the thought that notwithstanding the private nature of the meeting, the Ambassador could choose to introduce to the Vice President certain high level members of the Soviet Embassy staff, including Minister-Counselor Anatoliy A. Gromyko, son of Foreign Minister Andrey Gromyko []

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Ivan S. Gromakov, []

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[] At this juncture, General Dunn advised that following attendance with his family at a recent reception at the Soviet Embassy, he was visited at his office by the aforementioned Gromakov and Counselor Viktor F. Isakov []

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during which they presented gifts of liquor and Soviet music records for the Dunn family in behalf of Dobrynin. General Dunn specifically stated that it was Gromakov who said to him that the Soviet Embassy was aware of the Dobrynin-Kissinger channel to the President, but they were very much interested in developing a second channel.

Thereafter, General Dunn requested SA [] to review the Memorandum for the Record which he had prepared concerning Dobrynin's earlier visit with Vice President Ford. Beyond the usual pleasantries and amenities incidental to such a meeting, the thrust of the Memorandum concerned Dobrynin's comments

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regarding the strong Soviet desire for passage of Most Favored Nation (MFN) status for the USSR by the U.S. Congress, the Mid-East crisis, the favorable detente which presently prevails between the U.S. and USSR which must be continued, and the fact that to a degree more favorable relations presently exist between the U.S. and USSR than **do** between these major powers and their respective allies. In summary, Ambassador Dobrynin looked toward further improvement in such affairs through continued cooperation with the Government of the U.S., including the Office of the Vice President.

In light of the above, conversation thereafter briefly centered upon the Soviets being meticulously abreast of our domestic political climate, their awareness of Mr. Ford's influence on Capitol Hill, of their probing as to the possibility of an impeachment of President Nixon, and of the possible need for the Vice President to be fully prepared to step into the international political arena.

General Dunn voluntarily stated that he did not know to what degree he would debrief the Vice President concerning his meeting with Dobrynin, but he wished to assure SA [] that any information pertinent to our interests would be provided to the Bureau.

At the conclusion of the meeting, General Dunn expressed his appreciation for the assistance that had been rendered and hoped that such informal conversations could occur in the future. General Dunn was advised that if his time and schedule permitted same, SA [] was certain such could be arranged. General Dunn replied that he would see to it that his schedule would permit same.

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ACTION:

None. For information.

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THREAT TO ASSAULT U.S. VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, COLUMBUS, OHIO
DURING HIS APPEARANCE AT COLUMBUS, OHIO, JANUARY 25, 1974.
ASSAULTING VICE PRESIDENT OF UNITED STATES. 00:CI.

RE CITEL JANUARY 24, 1974; BUREAU TEL JANUARY 25, 1974.

SUSPECTS PLACED UNDER SURVEILLANCE DURING VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT
TO COLUMBUS, OHIO, JANUARY 25, 1974 WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO
INCIDENTS OCCURRED DURING VISIT. PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION HELD IN
VICINITY OF HOTEL WHERE VICE PRESIDENT APPEARED. U.S. SECRET SERVICE
(USSS) AND COLUMBUS, OHIO PD KEPT ADVISED OF ACTIVITIES OF SUSPECTS.

ON INSTANT DATE USSS AGENT [REDACTED] ADVISED VICE PRESIDENT'S
AIRPLANE DEPARTED COLUMBUS, OHIO AT 12:53AM INSTANT AND HE ADVISED NO
INCIDENTS OCCURRED DURING VICE PRESIDENT'S VISIT TO COLUMBUS.

CINCINNATI IS PLACING THIS MATTER IN CLOSED STATUS.

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CC-Mr. Wannall

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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION IN CONNECTION WITH APPEARANCE OF VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD SPONSORED BY "COMMITTEE TO THROW THE
BUM OUT", CINCINNATI, OHIO, FEBRUARY 23, 1974; IS - RU.

AT 7:30PM, FEBRUARY 23, 1974, APPROXIMATELY 123 PERSONS
ASSEMBLED AT FOUNTAIN SQUARE, DOWNTOWN CINCINNATI, AND SPEAKERS
DEMANDED IMPEACHMENT OR IMMEDIATE RESIGNATION OF PRESIDENT
NIXON. SPEAKERS WERE IDENTIFIED AS REPRESENTING ATTICA BRIGADE
AND "THROW THE BUM OUT COMMITTEE".

THE ATTICA BRIGADE (AB) IS A STUDENT-BASED
ORGANIZATION FOUNDED IN NYC IN THE FALL OF
1971. THE AB CONSIDERS ITSELF TO BE AN
ANTI-IMPERIALIST ORGANIZATION WHICH VIEWS
US IMPERIALISM AS THE MAIN ENEMY OF THE
PEOPLE OF THE WORLD". THE REVOLUTIONARY
UNION (RU) HAS SIGNIFICANTLY INFILTRATED
THE AB AND PLAYS A MAJOR ROLE IN AB POLICIES,
DECISIONS AND ACTIVITIES.

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THE RU WAS FOUNDED IN EARLY 1968 AND IS A MILITANT, SEMICLANDESTINE ORGANIZATION. ITS OBJECTIVES, AS SET OUT IN ITS PUBLICATION, ARE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A UNITED FRONT AGAINST IMPERIALISM, THE FOSTERING OF REVOLUTIONARY WORKING-CLASS UNITY AND LEADERSHIP IN STRUGGLE, AND THE FORMATION OF A COMMUNIST PARTY BASED ON MARXISM-LENINISM-MAO TSE-TUNG THOUGHT, LEADING TO THE OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT BY FORCE AND VIOLENCE.

GROUP LEFT FOUNTAIN SQUARE AT 7:36PM, AND MARCHED TO CONVENTION CENTER, DOWNTOWN CINCINNATI, WHERE THEY MADE ANTI-NIXON AND ANTI-IMPERIALISTIC SPEECHES.

GROUP DISBANDED WITHOUT INCIDENT AT 9:42PM.

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RE CINCINNATI TEL FEBRUARY 19. 1974. SECRET SERVICE, GSA, U.S. POSTAL INSPECTOR, AND CINCINNATI POLICE DEPARTMENT AWARE.

NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED, UACB.

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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION IN CONNECTION WITH APPEARANCE OF VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD A. FORD SPONSORED BY "COMMITTEE TO THROW THE
BUM OUT", CINCINNATI, OHIO, FEBRUARY 20, 1974; IS - RU.

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION
IN THE PAST, ADVISED ON FEBRUARY 19, 1974, THAT "COMMITTEE TO
THROW THE BUM OUT", DESCRIBED BY SOURCE AS A FRONT GROUP OF THE
REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU), HAS BEEN PASSING OUT FLYERS ANNOUNCING
DEMONSTRATION TO "THROW THE BUM OUT" TO BE HELD COMMENCING AT
7:30 PM AT FOUNTAIN SQUARE, DOWNTOWN CINCINNATI ON EVENING OF
FEBRUARY 20, 1974. SOURCE ADVISED GROUP PLANS TO HAVE SPEAKERS AT
FOUNTAIN SQUARE AND SUBSEQUENTLY PROCEED AT ABOUT 3:30PM TO CON-
VENTION CENTER, ALSO DOWNTOWN CINCINNATI, WHERE VICE PRESIDENT FORD
IS SCHEDULED TO GIVE SPEECH COMMENCING AT ABOUT 3:45PM. SOURCE

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ADVISED THAT THERE IS NO INDICATION OF ANY PLANNED ACTIONS OF VIOLENCE AND FURTHER STATED THAT EXTENSIVE EFFORTS BEING MADE TO ATTRACT VARIOUS ANTI-ESTABLISHMENT GROUPS WITH HOPES OF MUSTERING APPROXIMATELY 200 PEOPLE FOR PLANNED DEMONSTRATION.

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SECRET SERVICE AND CINCINNATI POLICE DEPARTMENT ADVISED.

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TRAVEL OF VICE-PRESIDENT, GERALD R. FORD.

TODAY, COLUMBIA IN RECEIPT OF INFORMATION VICE-PRESIDENT TO VISIT MYRTLE BEACH, S.C., MAY 4, 1974, RESIDENCE AT THE THUNDERBIRD HOTEL WHERE HE WILL BE ATTENDING A REPUBLICAN FUND RAISING AFFAIR.

SA [] U.S. SECRET SERVICE, COLUMBIA, S.C., UNABLE TO CONFIRM VICE-PRESIDENT VISIT TO MYRTLE BEACH, S.C. [] SAID VICE-PRESIDENT TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED TO VISIT CHARLESTON AND HILTON HEAD, S.C., MARCH 15-18, 1974, WITH RESIDENCE AT HILTON HEAD, S.C. [] SAID WILL CONFIRM CHARLESTON AND HILTON HEAD, S.C., VISIT AT EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

COLUMBIA, WILL, WHEN VICE-PRESIDENT TRIP CONFIRMED, ALERT APPROPRIATE SOURCES AND WILL REMAIN ALERT FOR INFORMATION REGARDING THREATS AGAINST VICE-PRESIDENT'S SAFETY OR DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST VICE-PRESIDENT.

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UNSUB; THREAT AGAINST THE VICE PRESIDENT, PHOENIX, ARIZONA
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AT 1815 HOURS THIS DATE OFFICER [REDACTED]

MESA, ARIZONA PD ADVISED THAT AT 1800 HOURS ONE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] MESA, TELEPHONE [REDACTED] RECEIVED

AN ANONYMOUS CALL AN UNKNOWN MALE ADVISING HER

THAT AN ATTEMPT WOULD BE MADE ON THE LIFE OF VICE PRESIDENT
FORD THIS EVENING BY A GROUP KNOWN AS THE WOODSMEN AND TO
NOTIFY THE FBI. ACCORDINGLY OFFICER [REDACTED] NOTIFIED
THIS OFFICE OF THE ABOVE AND STATED THAT [REDACTED] IS THE
WIFE OF A MINISTER IN MESA AND IS CONSIDERED TO BE RELIABLE.

AT 1825 HOURS THIS DATE SA [REDACTED] OF THE
U S SECRET SERVICE LOCATED AT MOUNTAIN SHADOWS RESORT WHERE
THE VICE PRESIDENT IS STAYING WHILE IN PHOENIX WAS NOTIFIED
OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION BY SA [REDACTED]
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SUBJECT: PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION AGAINST
VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD,
3/15/74,
COLUMBIA, S. C. *60000 Ford*
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Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM regarding captioned matter.

Copies of the LHM are being disseminated to the USA and Secret Service, both Columbia, S. C.

Inspector [redacted] Columbia, S. C. Police Department, was advised on 3/5/74.

The source mentioned in the LHM is [redacted]

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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION AGAINST
VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD
MARCH 15, 1974
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

A source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised on March 1, 1974 that the AWARE group at the University of South Carolina (USC), Columbia, South Carolina, held several meetings during the week of February 25, 1974 - March 1, 1974 concerning the proposed AWARE sponsored demonstration on March 15, 1974 to call for the impeachment of President Nixon. A characterization of AWARE is attached in the Appendix.

Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) was founded during June, 1962, at Port Huron, Michigan; and during the 1960's, functioned as the leading New Left campus-based student organization in the United States. In June, 1969, internal factionalism produced a split within SDS and the SDS/WSA emerged. The WSA continues to use the name SDS and is presently dominated and influenced by the Progressive Labor Party (PLP).

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COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

The Progressive Labor Party (PLP), founded in 1965 by former members of the CPUSA, who assertedly followed a Chinese Communist line, is a revolutionary Marxist-Leninist organization dedicated to a dictatorship of the working class.

According to the source, several events will occur prior to the main demonstration on March 15, 1974. At 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 9, 1974, or Sunday, March 10, 1974, a rally will be held on the steps of the State House in Columbia. At 11:30 a.m. on March 13, 1974, a rally and march is planned for the USC campus.

The events of Friday, March 15, 1974 will commence at 5:00 p.m. at the State House on Gervais Street. The demonstrators will leave the State House building at 6:00 p.m. and march down Gervais Street to Assembly Street and then on Assembly Street to the Carolina Inn. After arriving at the Carolina Inn, the demonstrators will form picket lines and present theater skits calling for the impeachment of President Nixon. The main demonstration at the Carolina Inn will be directed at the State Republican Convention at which Vice President Gerald R. Ford is reportedly planning to attend. Smaller picket lines will be manned each day for the remainder of the Republican meetings.

The demonstrators plan to conduct the impeachment protest in an orderly and peaceful manner.

APPENDIXAWARE

On May 2, 1969, a source advised that the AWARE organization was organized at the University of South Carolina (USC), Columbia, South Carolina, in the spring of 1966.

Article 2 of the AWARE Constitution dated April 15, 1966, is as follows:

"The purpose of this organization is for the stimulation and implementation of discussion on the part of University of South Carolina students as individuals, the dissemination of ideas which would lead students into an awareness of the full spectrum of political and social thought, the consideration and action upon matters pertaining to the intellectual and physical well-being of the Carolina Community."

On November 25, 1969, and May 13, 1970, a second and third sources advised that the AWARE group continues to be a student group at USC. They are affiliated with Students for a Democratic Society (SDS). (SDS characterization attached.)

These sources advised that the AWARE group sponsors rallies, demonstrations, and meetings at USC and in the Columbia, South Carolina, area which are anti-draft, anti-war, and anti-establishment in nature.

On November 30, 1970, a fourth source advised that the AWARE organization was suspended as a student group at USC during the spring semester of 1970, after campus disturbances occurred in which AWARE members were involved, and during October, 1970, they had to appeal the suspension or lose their charter. The source advised that the group did not appeal the suspension, and they are no longer considered a campus group at USC. The source also advised there was a feeling among dissident students at USC that there was no interest in reorganizing the AWARE group due to the bad publicity they received during the student disorders at USC during May, 1970. The majority of the members of the AWARE group who were involved in the student disorders are no longer at USC or in the Columbia, South Carolina, area.

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PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, TO TAMPA, FLORIDA, MARCH 12, 1974.
OPPOSED BY DAY AREA CITIZENS TO OPPOSE NIXON.

ON MARCH 7, 1974, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED
RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED THAT THE DAY AREA
CITIZENS TO OPPOSE NIXON (DANO) AND THE VICTIMS AGAINST
AGAINST THE WAR/INTEL SOLIDARITY ORGANIZATION (VISA) WILL
CONDUCT SEPARATE PICKET DEMONSTRATIONS AT THE CITY HALL
OF TAMPA, TAMPA, FLORIDA, ON FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 12, 1974,
DURING THE VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT FORD, WHO IS VISITING
DURING. DEMONSTRATIONS WILL BEGIN AT APPROXIMATELY 6:00 P.M.
AND LAST UNTIL THE VICE PRESIDENT LEAVES THE METROPOLITAN
OF TAMPA.

DANO IS SELF DESCRIBED AS A GROUP OF INDIVIDUALS
THE TAMPA, ST. PETERSBURG, CLEARWATER AREA. WHO ARE
OFFICE WORKING, STUDENTS AND TEACHERS, PROFESSIONAL

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COMMUNITY PEOPLE, ALL UNITED TO OPPOSE PRESIDENT NIXON AND HIS POLICES.

THE VVAW IS A NATIONAL ORGANIZATION COMPOSED PRIMARILY OF VETERANS OF THE WAR IN VIETNAM, THAT HAS ORGANIZED AND PARTICIPATED IN NUMEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR IN VIETNAM DURING 1970-72, INCLUDING THE SEIZURE OF THE STATUE OF LIBERTY, NEW YORK CITY, AND THE OCCUPATION OF THE BETSY ROSS HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, IN DECEMBER, 1972. SIX MEMBERS OF THE VVAW WERE INDICTED BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, JULY, 1972, ON CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE THE FEDERAL ANTI-RIOT LAW.

BACON EXPECTS 40 TO 50 PERSONS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DEMONSTRATION AND WILL CARRY SIGNS CALLING FOR THE IMPEACHMENT OF NIXON AND ASKING FOR PERSONS DRIVING BY TO BLOW THEIR HORNS IN AN ATTEMPT TO DISRUPT THE SPEECH AND DINNER. SOURCE EMPHASIZED THAT BACON IS BASICALLY PACIFIST IN NATURE AND THERE ARE NO PLANS TO CAUSE CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE OR CONFRONTATIONS. BACON WILL HOLD THEIR DEMONSTRATION IN PLANT PARK ADJACENT TO THE UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA AND BORDERING OF KENNEDY BLVD.

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THE VVAW DEMONSTRATION WILL BE HELD AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA ON KENNEDY BLVD. APPROXIMATELY 50 YARDS FROM THE BACON GROUP. APPROXIMATELY 12-15 VVAW MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE AND THEY WILL CARRY SIGNS DEMANDING AMNESTY, VETERANS BENEFITS, AND ELIMINATION OF SUPPORT FOR SOUTH VIETNAM. ALSO HANDBILLS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO PASSERSBY. NO VIOLENCE OR CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE IS PLANNED. DEMONSTRATORS HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED NOT TO RESIST ARREST IF ARRESTED BY THE PD, AND VVAW WILL HAVE THEIR OWN PHOTOGRAPHER TAKING PICTURES OF THE DEMONSTRATIONS.

BOTH GROUPS WILL CARRY OUT THEIR DEMONSTRATIONS ON PUBLIC PROPERTY AND NOT ON THE UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA CAMPUS SINCE THIS IS PRIVATE PROPERTY AND THEY WOULD BE SUBJECT TO ARREST.

TAMPA PD, HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SO, AND SECRET SERVICE, TAMPA, ADVISED. A COPY OF COMMUNICATION WILL BE FURNISHED TO SECRET SERVICE, TAMPA.

ADMINISTRATIVE: TITLE MARKED CHANGED TO SHOW THAT NAME OF GROUP SPONSORING DEMONSTRATION AS BAY AREA CITIZENS TO OPPOSE NIXON INSTEAD OF BAY AREA CITIZENS TO OUST NIXON AS
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PREVIOUSLY SHOWN.

RE TAMPA TEL TO BUREAU, MARCH 4, 1974.

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TAMPA WILL FOLLOW AND REPORT. NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI ATTN INTD

FROM SAC, TAMPA (100-3416) (C)

DEMONSTRATION TO COINCIDE WITH VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD
FORD, TO TAMPA, FLORIDA, MARCH 7, 1974, SPONSORED BY MANY AREA
CITIZENS TO OPPOSE NIXON. SU

ON FRIDAY MARCH 7, 1974 FROM APPROXIMATELY 7:15 PM, UNTIL
8:00 PM, MEMBERS OF THE VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR
UNITED SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VSAU/USO) AND THE MANY AREA CITIZENS
TO OPPOSE NIXON (TOON), CONDUCTED A PICKET TYPE DEMONSTRATION
NEAR THE UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA, TAMPA, FLORIDA, TO COINCIDE WITH THE
APPEARANCE OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD. APPROXIMATELY 50
PERSONS PARTICIPATED IN THE DEMONSTRATION WITH SLOGANS OF "NIXON
YOUR NOSE IF YOU WANT TO IMPEACH NIXON", "NIXON IS A LIAR",
"IS FORD A BETTER LIE", "NIXON OR NIXON", "NIXON BUE YOU", ETC.

SAUON IS HALF DESCRIBED AS A GROUP OF PEOPLE IN THE
TAMPA, FL. PETROLEUM, CLEANSING AREA, WHO ARE FACTORY, OFFICE
WORKERS, STUDENTS AND TEACHERS, PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY
PEOPLE, ALL UNITED TO OPPOSE PRESIDENT NIXON AND HIS POLICIES.

THE VSAU IS A NATIONAL ORGANIZATION COMPOSED PRIMARILY OF
MEMBERS OF THE VETERANS IN ACTION, THAT HAS ORGANIZERS AND
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PARTICIPATED IN NUMEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR IN VIETNAM DURING 1970-72, INCLUDING THE SEIZURE OF THE STATUE OF LIBERTY, NEW YORK CITY, AND THE OCCUPATION OF THE BETSY ROSS HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, IN DECEMBER, 1971. SIX MEMBERS OF THE WMAW WERE INDICTED BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, JULY, 1972, ON CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE THE FEDERAL ANTI-riot LAW.

DURING THE DEMONSTRATION THERE WAS NO CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE, VIOLENCE, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.

TAMPA PD, HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SO AND SECRET SERVICE, TAMPA, PRESENT DURING DEMONSTRATION. A COPY OF COMMUNICATION FURNISHED TO SECRET SERVICE TAMPA.

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MARCH 3, 1974

TO DIRECTOR

FROM BOSTON

PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, BOSTON,
MASS., MARCH 11, 1974, BY RU AND YWLL, IS-RU; IS-CPUSA.

ON MARCH 3, INSTANT, SOURCES WHO HAVE PROVIDED RELIABLE
INFORMATION IN THE PAST PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

A LEAFLET IS BEING HANDED OUT IN THE BOSTON AREA CALLING FOR
SUPPORT OF A DEMONSTRATION TO PROTEST THE SCHEDULED VISIT TO
BOSTON OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD ON MARCH 11, NEXT, WHICH IS
TO INCLUDE A SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT AT A BANQUET AT THE SHERATON-
BOSTON HOTEL, BOSTON. THE DEMONSTRATION TO BEGIN IN THE NATURE
OF A MARCH AT 6:33 PM FROM COPLEY SQ., BOSTON, TO THE VICINITY OF THE
SHERATON-BOSTON HOTEL, APPROXIMATELY 2 BLOCKS AWAY, WHERE A RALLY
WILL BE HELD.

SPONSORING GROUP LISTED IN THE LEAFLET AS "AD HOC
COMMITTEE TO DUMP NIXON/JUNK FORD," AND THE NUMBER TO CALL FOR
INFORMATION IS THAT OF DAVID RAMSEY, OF THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION
(RU), 282-3632, BOSTON, MASS.

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THE YOUNG WORKERS LIBERATION LEAGUE (YWLL), ANOTHER SPONSORING GROUP OF THE MARCH AND RALLY, IS ALSO DISTRIBUTING A HANDBILL ASKING FOR SUPPORT.

THE ATTICA BRIGADE (AB), WHICH IS HOLDING A LATE AFTERNOON PROTEST DEMONSTRATION MARCH 11, NEXT, AT THE HARVARD CLUB, BOSTON, WHICH WILL BE SITE OF BRIEF VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT PLANS TO MARCH FROM THE AREA OF THE CLUB, FOLLOWING ITS DEMONSTRATION, TO TAKE PART IN THE RALLY.

A REPRESENTATIVE OF RU ESTIMATES THREE THOUSAND PERSONS WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE RALLY AT THE HOTEL.

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE YOUNG SOCIALIST ALLIANCE OF BOSTON (YSA-B), ON MARCH 8, INSTANT, STATED THAT GROUP NOT INVOLVED IN SPONSORSHIP OF DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE VICE PRESIDENT, AS THEY DON'T AGREE WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE SPONSORING GROUPS, AB AND YWLL, BUT WILL HAVE A FEW REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT.

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THE RU WAS FOUNDED IN EARLY 1963 AND IS A MILITANT, SEMI-CLANDESTINE ORGANIZATION. ITS OBJECTIVES, AS SET OUT IN ITS PUBLICATION, ARE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A UNITED FRONT AGAINST IMPERIALISM, THE FOSTERING OF REVOLUTIONARY WORKING CLASS UNITY AND LEADERSHIP IN STRUGGLES AND THE FORMATION OF A CUMMUNIST PARTY, BASED ON MARXISM-LENINISM AND MAO-TSE-TUNG THOUGHT, LEADING TO THE OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERMENT BY FORCE AND VIOLENCE.

THE AB DESCRIBES ITSELF AS A MASS, STUDENT BASED, ANTI-IMPERIALISTIC DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATION WHICH VIEWS U.S. IMPERIALISM AS THE MAIN ENEMY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD. THE RU HAS SIGNIFICANTLY INFILTRATED THE AB AND PLAYS A MAJOR ROLE IN ITS POLITICS, DECISIONS AND ACTIVITIES.

THE YWLL IS A FRONT ORGAIZATION OF THE CPUSA, WHICH WAS FORMED AS A MARXIST/LENINIST YOUTH GROUP, IN 2/70. THE YSA/B IS THE BOSTON AFFILIATE OF THE YSA, THE YOUTH ORGANIZATION OF THE SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY (SWP), WHICH HAS BEEN DESIGNATED PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER 12450.

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INTELLIGENCE DIVISION, BOSTON PD, AND SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED], U.S. SECRET SERVICE, CAMBRIDGE, MASS.,
ADVISED OF THE ABOVE, MARCH 8, INSTANT.

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11:23PM NITEL MARCH 15, 1974 WCA

TO DIRECTOR

ATTENTION INTELLIGENCE DIVISION
FROM COLUMBIA (103-1613)

DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD, MARCH 15,
1974, COLUMBIA, S.C.: IS - AWARE.

J.P. STROM, CHIEF, SOUTH CAROLINA LAW ENFORCEMENT
DIVISION, (SCLED), COLUMBIA, S.C., ADVISED AWARE SPONSORED
RALLY HELD FROM 6:15 P.M. - 6:35 P.M. THIS
OUTSIDE STATE HOUSE, COLUMBIA, S.C. APPROXIMATELY 150 PERSONS
IN ATTENDANCE. SEVERAL SPEECHES MADE CALLING FOR IMPEACHMENT
OF PRESIDENT NIXON. RALLY WAS ORDERLY AND PEACEFUL AND THERE
WERE NO ARRESTS OR INCIDENTS.

FOLLOWING RALLY, THE DEMONSTRATORS MARCHED SHORT DISTANCE
TO CAROLINA INN WHERE VICE PRESIDENT FORD SCHEDULED TO APPEAR
AT STATE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION. APPROXIMATELY 300 PERSONS MARCHED
IN FRONT OF CAROLINA INN CARRYING PLACARDS AND CHANTING

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IMPEACHMENT OF PRESIDENT NIXON. DEMONSTRATION WAS ORDERLY AND PEACEFUL AND THERE WERE NO ARRESTS OR INCIDENTS. DEMONSTRATION ENDED 8:10 P.M., AND DEMONSTRATORS DISPURSED. VICE PRESIDENT FORD ARRIVED CAROLINA INN 6:20 P.M., AND DEPARTED 9:05 P.M.

AWARE WAS A STUDENT GROUP ORIGINALLY ACTIVE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA (USC), COLUMBIA, S.C., FROM MAY, 1966 UNTIL NOVEMBER, 1970, SPONSORING ANTI-WAR, DRAFT, AND ESTABLISHMENT ACTIVITIES. THE FORMER AWARE GROUP WAS AFFILIATED WITH SDS, WHICH FUNCTIONED DURING THE 1960'S AS THE LEADING NEW LEFT CAMPUS BASED STUDENT ORGANIZATION IN THE UNITED STATES.

AWARE WAS REORGANIZED JANUARY, 1974 ON THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA CAMPUS, COLUMBIA, S.C. AWARE'S MAIN GOAL SEEMS TO BE THE THE IMPEACHMENT OF PRESIDENT NIXON.

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, COLUMBIA (175-46) - C -
SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD

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On 3/19/74, SA [] U. S. Secret Service, Columbia, S. C., advised that Vice President FORD arrived Charleston, S. C., Air Force Base a.m., 3/15/74. Appeared at The Citadel where accepted an honorary degree. Departed Charleston, S. C., via presidential plane arriving Columbia, S. C., Metropolitan Airport 6:20 p.m. At 6:30 p.m., FORD held press conference Carolina Inn and from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. attended State Republican Convention also at the Carolina Inn. Group known as AWARE demonstrated at Carolina Inn for impeachment of President NIXON (previously reported COfile 100-1613). FORD departed Columbia, S. C., approximately 9:30 p.m. by plane en route to Charleston, S. C.

On 3/16/74, FORD was scheduled to play golf at Charleston Country Club; however, match cancelled due to rain. FORD toured city of Charleston and delivered a political type speech at the Hibernian Society, Charleston, S. C.

On 3/17/74, FORD departed Charleston, S. C., by plane destined to Beaufort, S. C., arriving at Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS) 10:55 a.m. same date. He thereafter travelled to Hilton Head, S. C., where he participated in a motorcade following which he went golfing. He thereafter returned to Beaufort, S. C., where he held a news conference and then departed from the MCAS at 3:50 p.m. en route to Washington, D. C.

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No further action being taken by Columbia Division re this matter.

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FROM: SACRAMENTO

FROM: SAN FRANCISCO (175-410) 2 PAGES

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BY SA [REDACTED]
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UNSUB; ANONYMOUS CALL TO R. J. DEBY, "WASHINGTON POST",
WASHINGTON, D.C., APRIL 13, 1974, THREATS AGAINST VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD FORD AND GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN.

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RE BUREAU TELEPHONE CALL TO SAN FRANCISCO ON APRIL 13,
1974.

ON APRIL 13, 1974, SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] SPECIAL
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION, FBI HEADQUARTERS, ADVISED THAT AT
8:45 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME (EST), ON APRIL 13, 1974,
SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED], EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, FBI HEADQUARTERS,
RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM R. J. DEBY:

AT 1:32 P.M. (EST), APRIL 13, 1974, R. J. DEBY OF
THE "WASHINGTON POST" RECEIVED AN ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL
FROM SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA. THE CALLER, OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN,
STATED THAT HE HAD INFORMATION CONCERNING THE PRESIDENT OF THE
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STATED THAT ON APRIL 19TH OF 1974, GOVERNOR ROBERT AND
VICE PRESIDENT FORD WOULD BE ACCOMMODATED AT THE LE BARON
HOTEL, 111 JONES, 101 HOTEL.

S. G. SECRET SERVICE, CALIFORNIA STATE
POLICE, GOVERNOR ROBERT'S ASSISTANT FOR PROTECTIVE RESPONSIBILITY
ED RICHIEY, AND SAN JOSE POLICE DEPARTMENT WERE ADVISED OF THE
ABOVE INFORMATION ON APRIL 13, 1974, AT 4:45 P.M., PACIFIC TIME,
BY SA [REDACTED].

THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS BEING PROVIDED TO SACRAMENTO
IN VIEW OF THEIR INTEREST IN THIS MATTER.

SAN FRANCISCO WILL REMAIN ALERT AND FORWARD ANY FURTHER
INFORMATION DEVELOPED TO THE BUREAU AND INTERESTED AGENCIES
BY THE APPROPRIATE MEANS INDICATED.

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 "WASHINGTON POST", WASHINGTON, D.C.,
 4/13/74; THREATS AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD AND
 CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN.
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TO: DIRECTOR

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FROM: SAN FRANCISCO (175-64) 2P

UNSUB; ANONYMOUS CALL TO R. J. DERBY, "WASHINGTON POST,"
WASHINGTON, DC, APRIL 13, 1974; THREATS AGAINST VICE-
PRESIDENT GERALD FORD AND CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN

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VP FORD AND CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR REAGAN SCHEDULED TO BE
AT LE BARON HOTEL, SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA, APRIL 19 AND 20,
1974, FOR REPUBLICAN PARTY STATE CONFERENCE.

FOLLOWING INFORMATION HAS BEEN DEVELOPED SINCE MARCH 19,
1974, BY BUREAU AND [REDACTED] SPECIAL AGENT, CRIMINAL
INTELLIGENCE DIVISION, CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
(AGENT RESPONSIBLE FOR CENTRAL COAST COUNTIES AREA) AND HAS
BEEN FURNISHED TO THE SECURITY OFFICE FOR GOVERNOR REAGAN
BY [REDACTED]

ON MARCH 19, 1974, A SOURCE ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AKA [REDACTED] DESCRIBED WMA, BORN [REDACTED]

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[] OR [] CALIFORNIA,
HEIGHT 5'8", WEIGHT 123 POUNDS, BLOND HAIR, GREEN EYES,
SSAN [] FBI NUMBER [] CALIFORNIA STATE
BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION (CII)
NUMBER [] TATTOOS BOTH ARMS AND BACK; CURRENT RESI-
DENCE [] SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA,
HAS BEEN IN SAN JOSE AREA FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO MONTHS.
SOURCE STATED [] TOLD HIM HE IS MEMBER OF SMALL GROUP OF
LEFT WING RADICAL EX-CONVICTS FROM VAN NUYS, CALIFORNIA
AREA WHO WERE MAKING PLANS TO ASSASSINATE GOVERNOR REAGAN.
[] ALSO TOLD SOURCE HE HAD COMMITTED BANK ROBBERIES AND
OTHER CRIMES. SOURCE STATES [] ALWAYS CARRIES GUN.

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INVESTIGATION REVEALS [] PRESENTLY ON PROBATION
FROM LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, FOR BURGLARY AND HAS
PREVIOUS ARRESTS FOR ROBBERY AND BURGLARY. HE HAS BEEN
PICKED UP FOR PSYCHIATRIC EVALUATION.

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OFFICER OF LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA POLICE DEPARTMENT
WHO HAS KNOWLEDGE OF [] HAS DESCRIBED HIM AS "NUT" AND
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ONE WHO WOULD GLADLY SHOOT ANYONE HE DID NOT LIKE.

ON MARCH 23, 1974, FIRST SOURCE ADVISED THAT [] PURCHASED HIGH POWERED RIFLE WITH SCOPE AT SAN JOSE FLEA MARKET. ACCORDING TO THIS SOURCE [] HAS NEVER MENTIONED FACT THAT GOVERNOR REAGAN WOULD BE IN SAN JOSE ON APRIL 19 AND 20, 1974, AND HAS NEVER MENTIONED ANY INTEREST IN VICE PRESIDENT FORD.

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ACCORDING TO SAME SOURCE [] IS NOT EMPLOYED AND HIS COMPLETE ACTIVITIES AND MOVEMENTS ARE NOT KNOWN TO SOURCE.

UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, SAN JOSE POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND SANTA CLARA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, ALL AT SAN JOSE, ARE AWARE IDENTITY AND OTHER DATA DESCRIBED ABOVE RE []

ADMINISTRATIVE: RE BUREAU TEL CALL TO SAN FRANCISCO, APRIL 13, 1974, AND SAN FRANCISCO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APRIL 15, 1974, CAPTIONED AS ABOVE.

PLANS ARE BEING MADE BY VARIOUS GROUPS IN SAN JOSE AREA TO PROTEST APPEARANCE OF VICE PRESIDENT AND GOVERNOR AT LE BARON HOTEL ALL OF WHICH HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY REPORTED
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BY LHM CAPTIONED "DEMONSTRATION TO 'DUMP NIXON' SPONSORED BY THE ANTI-IMPERIALIST COORDINATING COMMITTEE, SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA, APRIL 20, 1974, SM, SF 100-61786".

IN ORDER TO CHECK ORIGIN OF CAPTIONED TEL CALL, TELEPHONE COMPANY WOULD HAVE TO STOP ENTIRE BILLING OPERATION FOR SAN JOSE METROPOLITAN AREA. NO REQUEST FOR THIS SERVICE HAS BEEN MADE AS SAME WOULD BE EXTREMELY COSTLY AND TIME CONSUMING.

SITUATION INVOLVING HILL BEING CLOSELY FOLLOWED AND ALL PERTINENT DATA DEVELOPED WILL BE IMMEDIATELY FURNISHED TO APPROPRIATE POLICE AGENCIES, SECRET SERVICE, AS WELL AS BUREAU.

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THE SOURCE ALLUDED TO IN THE TEXT OF THIS COMMUNICATION IS [REDACTED], WHO IS BEING CONTACTED ON A CONTINUING BASIS BY SA [REDACTED], FBI, SAN JOSE. [REDACTED] SUBJECT OF BUREAU FILE 42-283379 AND LA FILE 42-41863.

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TO DIRECTOR
FROM COLUMBIA

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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD,
5-3-74, COLUMBIA, S.C., IS - AWARE.

ON 5-2-74 A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED
RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

THE AWARE GROUP AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA (USC),
COLUMBIA, S.C., PLANS TO SPONSOR SMALL IMPEACH NIXON DEMONSTRATION
5-3-74 IN FRONT OF CAROLINA INN, COLUMBIA, S.C., DURING APPEARANCE
OF VICE PRESIDENT FORD FOR DEDICATION OF NEW USC LAW CENTER.
NO PUBLICITY GIVEN DEMONSTRATION EXCEPT ON USC CAMPUS AND LESS
THAN 75 EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE.

DEMONSTRATORS WILL GATHER IN FRONT OF RUSSELL HOUSE, USC,
BETWEEN 12 AND 12:30 PM. 5-3-74 AND THEN WILL MARCH ON SIDEWALK
IN FRONT OF CAROLINA INN.

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PLANS CALL FOR TWO AWARE MEMBERS TO GAIN ENTRANCE
LEGALLY AND PEACEFULLY TO IMPERIAL BALLROOM AT CAROLINA INN
WHERE DEDICATION CEREMONIES TO TAKE PLACE. [REDACTED]

A NON-STUDENT, AND [REDACTED] A USC STUDENT, BELIEVED TO BE
THE PERSONS WHO PLAN TO GAIN ENTRANCE TO THE BALLROOM. IF
SUCCESSFUL IN GAINING ENTRANCE TO BALLROOM, THE TWO DEMONSTRATORS
WILL UNFURL IMPEACH NIXON BANNER INSIDE.

DEMONSTRATION OUTSIDE CAROLINA INN WILL CONSIST OF SMALL
BUT VOCAL PICKET LINE AND PROBABLY WILL CONTINUE UNTIL VICE
PRESIDENT FORD DEPARTS. NO VIOLENCE PLANNED OR EXPECTED.

SECRET SERVICE, COLUMBIA, S.C., ADVISED VICE PRESIDENT
FORD SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE COLUMBIA, S.C., APPROXIMATELY 12:15 PM,
5-3-74 AND DEPART FOR MYRTLE BEACH, S.C., ABOUT 5:00 PM.
AT MYRTLE BEACH, HE IS SCHEDULED TO HAVE OPEN PRESS CONFERENCE AT
SWAMP FOX HOTEL, APPROXIMATELY 6:00 PM AND THEN ATTEND
RECEPTION AND DINNER AT MYRTLE BEACH CONVENTION CENTER. HE IS
SCHEDULED TO DEPART MYRTLE BEACH AIRFORCE BASE AROUND 9:55 PM AND
RETURN TO WASHINGTON, D.C.

NO INFORMATION RECEIVED OF ANY PLANNED DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST
VICE PRESIDENT FORD AT MYRTLE BEACH.

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AWARE WAS A STUDENT GROUP ORIGINALLY ACTIVE AT USC FROM MAY, 1966 UNTIL NOV., 1970, SPONSORING ANTI-WAR, ANTI-DRAFT, AND ANTI-ESTABLISHMENT ACTIVITIES. THE FORMER AWARE GROUP WAS AFFILIATED WITH SDS, WHICH FUNCTIONED DURING THE 1960'S AS THE LEADING NEW LEFT CAMPUS BASED STUDENT ORGANIZATION IN THE U.S. AWARE WAS REORGANIZED BY USC CAMPUS LEADERS AND, AMONG ITS MAIN GOAL APPEARS TO BE THE IMPEACHMENT OF PRESIDENT NIXON.

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8:37PM NITEL MAY 3, 1974 WCA

TO DIRECTOR

ATTENTION: INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM COLUMBIA (100-1613) 3PAGES

DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD, MAY 3, 1974
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A SOURCE OF THE COLUMBIA DIVISION OF THE FBI, WHO HAS
FURNISHED RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST, ADVISED AWARE SPONSORED
DEMONSTRATION HELD FROM 1:12 PM - 4:30 PM THIS DATE IN FRONT
OF CAROLINA INN, COLUMBIA, S.C. THE DEMONSTRATORS BEGAN ASSEMBLING
AT ABOUT NOON ON CAMPUS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA
(USC), AND THEN MARCHED APPROXIMATELY FIVE BLOCKS TO CAROLINA INN.

VICE PRESIDENT FORD ARRIVED AT CAROLINA INN APPROXIMATELY 12:45 PM FOR DEDICATION OF NEW USC LAW CENTER, AND HE DEPARTED AT 4:30 PM.

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APPROXIMATELY 35 PERSONS MARCHED IN FRONT OF CAROLINA INN CARRYING BANNERS AND CHANTING FOR IMPEACHMENT OF PRESIDENT NIXON. DEMONSTRATORS ~~DISP~~^{ERSED} AT 4:30 PM AFTER DEPARTURE OF VICE PRESIDENT FORD. NONE OF DEMONSTRATORS ATTEMPTED TO GET INSIDE BALLROOM AT CAROLINA INN WHERE VICE PRESIDENT LOCATED. DEMONSTRATION WAS ORDERLY AND PEACEFUL AND THERE WERE NO ARRESTS OR INCIDENTS.

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SUBJECT:

POSSIBLE DEMONSTRATION AT APPEARANCE
 OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD AT
 EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY,
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A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE
INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED ON MAY 7, 1974, THAT THE STUDENT
SENATE, EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY, CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS, PLANS
TO STAGE AN IMPEACH RICHARD NIXON DEMONSTRATION DURING VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD FORD'S VISIT ON CAMPUS MAY 9, 1974. SOURCE
STATED DEMONSTRATION IS TO BE NON-VIOLENT IN NATURE WITH NO
PLANS FOR DISRUPTION. THE DISPLAY OF ANTI-NIXON POSTERS AND
SIGNS ARE BEING CONSIDERED AND IN THE EVENT VICE PRESIDENT FORD
CONDUCTS QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION FOLLOWING SPEECH, POINTED
DIRECT QUESTIONS CONCERNING IMPEACHMENT OF PRESIDENT WILL BE
ASKED. SOURCE FURTHER STATED VICE PRESIDENT FORD WILL SPEAK
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AT LANCE GYM, EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY, CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS,
BEGINNING 9:30AM. VICE PRESIDENT SCHEDULED TO DEPART
CHARLESTON AIRPORT 10:25 AM MAY 9, 1974.

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SOURCE ADVISED TO SIGNS INTERPRETED AS WEAPONS WILL BE
ALLOWED AND SECURITY OF LANCE GYM SET UP.

ADMINISTRATIVE: SOURCE [REDACTED] ABOVE INFORMATION
HAS BEEN FURNISHED TO SECRET SERVICE AND SPRINGFIELD DIVISION
AT CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS, WILL COVER APPEARANCE OF VICE PRESIDENT
FORD AT EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY.

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9:05 PM NITEL 5-8-74 RBR

TO DIRECTOR

FROM DALLAS (62-NEW) (P) (2P)

VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, AIRPORT MARINA HOTEL,
DALLAS/FORT WORTH AIRPORT (DFW), TEXAS, MAY 11, 1974.
INFORMATION CONCERNING.

FOR INFORMATION BUREAU, ON MAY 8, 1974, SA

USSS, DALLAS, TEXAS, ADVISED VICE PRESIDENT
GERALD FORD WILL ARRIVE DFW AIRPORT FROM HOUSTON, TEXAS,
ON MAY 11, 1974, AT APPROXIMATELY 5 OR 6 PM, VIA USAF
PLANE. PRELIMINARY PLANS ARE FOR AF PLANE TO PARK ON THE
WEST SIDE OF AIRPORT NEAR GATE 1, BRANIFF AIRLINES TERMINAL.
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MR. FORD WILL THEN BE DRIVEN FROM THAT LOCATION VIA SERVICE ROAD TO THE AIRPORT MARINA HOTEL WHERE HE WILL ATTEND A RECEPTION IN THE PENT HOUSE LOUNGE AT 6:30 PM. AT 8 PM, HE WILL ATTEND AND SPEAK AT A REPUBLICAN SPONSORED DINNER IN THE MAIN BALLROOM OF THE HOTEL. HE WILL DEPART THE HOTEL AT 9:30 PM AND LEAVE BY AF PLANE EN ROUTE, WASHINGTON, D.C. AROUND 9:45 PM.

LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED WITH USSS, AIRPORT DPS AND FAA, DFW.

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FROM: SPRINGFIELD (100-14217) (1P)

VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD TO
EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY, CHARLESTON,
ILLINOIS, MAY 9, 1974, OO: SPRINGFIELD.

RE SPRINGFIELD TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU
DATED MAY 8, 1974.

ON MAY 9, 1974, VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD APPEARED AT
LANCE GYM, EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY, CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS,
AND PRESENTED SPEECH PERTAINING TO WATERGATE SITUATION. VICE
PRESIDENT FORD WAS POLITELY RECEIVED AND ONLY SMALL ANTI-NIXON
CONTINGENT PRESENT. VICE PRESIDENT FORD'S PRESENTATION TOOK
PLACE WITHOUT DISRUPTION, HOWEVER, APPROXIMATELY TWENTY SIGN
CARRYING DEMONSTRATORS MARCHED OUTSIDE LANCE GYM PRIOR TO SPEECH.
SIGNS SUPPORTING PRESIDENT NIXON WERE ALSO DISPLAYED.

ADMINISTRATIVE: INASMUCH AS NO DISRUPTIONS OR ORGANIZED
DEMONSTRATIONS OCCURRED, NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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 VICE PRESIDENT GERALD P. FORD; HOUSTON, TEXAS;
 MAY 13, 1974; THREAT AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT

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~~TO DIRECTOR~~

~~FROM HOUSTON (175-NEW) (C) 3 PGS~~

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HOUSTON, TEXAS, MAY 13, 1974; THREAT AGAINST THE VICE
PRESIDENT. OO:HO.~~

FBI, HOUSTON, ADVISED:

DURING AFTERNOON INSTANT DATE, [REDACTED] TRAILER
COURT, [REDACTED] TEXAS, TELEPHONE NUMBER
[REDACTED], TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED THE HOUSTON OFFICE FROM PAY
TELEPHONE NUMBER 826-3107, HEMPSTEAD, TEXAS, AND FURNISHED THE
FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

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DURING EARLY AFTERNOON INSTANT DATE, SHE WAS IN LADIES
RESTROOM AT "ENCO" SERVICE STATION LOCATED AT FONDREN AND
DELLAIRE, HOUSTON. SHE OVERHEARD CONVERSATION BETWEEN UNKNOWN
MALES IN ADJOINING MEN'S RESTROOM, WHICH WAS AS FOLLOWS: "WE'RE
GOING TO MAKE SURE THAT HE'S NOT OUR NEXT PRESIDENT." "THAT
FORD'S GOTTA GO, MAN."

THE UNKNOWN MALES THEN INDICATED THEY HAD TO TALK TO
SOMEBODY, NAME UNKNOWN, ABOUT IT AND THEN MENTIONED SOMETHING
ABOUT DOING SOMETHING AT HIS, THE VICE PRESIDENT'S, NEXT MEETING.

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AFTER EXITING RESTROOM, SHE OBSERVED THREE UNKNOWN BLACK MALES EXIT THE MEN'S ROOM AND ENTER A NEW, SMALL, WHITE AUTOMOBILE, MAKE UNKNOWN, WHICH SHE LATER DETERMINED TO HAVE 1974 TEXAS LICENSE BEARING LETTERS RTC, NUMBERS UNKNOWN. SHE DESCRIBED THE THREE AS BLACK MALES, ONE WEARING PLAIN (LIGHT) COLORED COAT, PLAID TROUSERS, RED SHIRT, AND TIE, AND OTHER TWO WEARING SUITS, COLORS UNKNOWN. ONE UNSUB HAD ANGELA DAVIS TYPE HAIRSTYLE (AFRO) AND OTHERS MEDIUM HAIRCUT.

SHE DEPARTED THE AREA HEADING TOWARD HESTAD AND WAS FOLLOWED BY UNSUBS, WHO PASSED HER ON ROUTE SIX NORTH OF IS 10. SHE ATTEMPTED TO OBTAIN LICENSE BUT WAS UNABLE TO DO SO DUE TO THEIR GREAT SPEED: SHE COULD ONLY GET FIRST THREE LETTERS. THEY TURNED RIGHT, TOWARD HOUSTON, AT HEMPSTEAD HIGHWAY, AND SHE PROCEEDED TO HEMPSTEAD AND MADE PHONE CALL.

HOUSTON INVESTIGATION INDICATES THAT "EXXON" SERVICE STATION LOCATED AT BELLAIRE AND FONDREN. OWNER, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], AND EMPLOYEE, [REDACTED], INTERVIEWED RELATIVE
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TO UNSUBS AND THEY COULD FURNISH NO INFORMATION.

ABOVE INFORMATION FURNISHED TO SA SECRET
SERVICE, HOUSTON, AT 4:40P.M. INSTANT DATE BY SA

NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Gebhardt

DATE: 5/13/74

FROM : C. L. McGowan

1 - Mr. Gebhardt
1 - Mr. McGowan
1 - Mr. McDonough

SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD'S
DALLAS, TEXAS, VISIT 5/11/74
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On 5/11/74, [redacted] Federal Energy Office (FEO), telephonically advised Extra-Duty Supervisor [redacted] that his Dallas Office had reviewed the "Dallas Times Herald," a daily newspaper in the Dallas, Texas, area for 5/11/74, and there was an article setting forth information that the independent truckers were planning a demonstration at the Dallas-Ft. Worth airport when Vice President Ford arrives.

This information was furnished telephonically to SA [redacted], U. S. Secret Service, for his information.

SA [redacted], Duty Agent Dallas Office, was alerted to the article in the "Times Herald" and in the event any problems occurred to advise the Bureau.

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For information.

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FROM BUFFALO (175-78) (C)

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VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD,

BUFFALO, N.Y., MAY 10, 1974.

VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD ARRIVED BUFFALO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, CHEEKTOWAGA, N.Y. AT 12:45 PM, MAY 10, 1974. VP FORD TRAVELED BY MOTORCADE FROM AIRPORT TO STATLER HOTEL DOWNTOWN BUFFALO WHICH SERVED AS HEADQUARTERS FOR VP FORD'S VISIT. APPROXIMATELY 150 DEMONSTRATORS REPRESENTING VARIOUS ANTI-WAR, ANTI-ADMINISTRATION, AND ANTI-ESTABLISHMENT GROUPS PARADED IN VICINITY OF STATLER HOTEL FROM 5:10 PM TO 6:20 PM, THEN WALKED TO NEARBY NIAGARA SQUARE, DOWNTOWN BUFFALO, WHERE THEY CONTINUED THEIR DEMONSTRATION UNTIL IT TERMINATED AT 6:50 PM. DEMONSTRATION WAS ORDERLY AND WITHOUT INCIDENT. DEMONSTRATORS CHANTED ANTI-NIXON SLOGANS SUCH AS "DUMP NIXON, JUNK FORD" AND CARRIED PLACARDS READING "JAIL THE RICH, FREE THE POOR." BUFFALO, NY PD REPORTED NO ARRESTS, INJURIES OR ACTS OF VIOLENCE. MINIMUM TELEVISION AND

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NEWS COVERAGE MEDIA AFFORDED DEMONSTRATORS.

VP FORD DEPARTED STATLER HOTEL AT 9:23 PM FOR BUFFALO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND WAS AIRBORNE AT 9:50 PM, MAY 10, 1974.

SECRET SERVICE, BUFFALO PD AND LOCAL INTERESTED LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES COGNIZANT OF ACTIVITIES CONCERNING VP FORD'S VISIT.

NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, BUFFALO (175-78) (C)

VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD,
BUFFALO, NEW YORK
MAY 10, 1974

Re Bureau and Albany nitels, 5/8/74, captioned
"VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION,
(VVAW/WSO), IS, OO: CHICAGO."

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies and for
Albany and Chicago one copy of an LHM relating to captioned
matter. Copies to Albany and Chicago are being furnished
for information.

One copy of the LHM is being furnished to Secret
Service locally.

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VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT
GERALD FORD,
BUFFALO, NEW YORK
MAY 10, 1974

Vice President GERALD FORD arrived at the Buffalo International Airport, Cheektowaga, New York, at 12:45 PM on May 10, 1974. Vice President FORD traveled by motorcade from Buffalo International Airport to the Statler Hotel, downtown Buffalo, which served as his headquarters. From 5:10 PM to 6:20 PM on May 10, 1974, approximately 150 demonstrators representing various anti-war, anti-administration, and anti-establishment groups paraded in the vicinity of the Statler Hotel until approximately 6:20 PM, when they proceeded to walk to nearby Niagara Square, downtown Buffalo, where they continued their demonstration until it terminated at 6:50 PM. The demonstration was orderly and without incident. The demonstrators chanted anti-NIXON slogans such as "Dump Nixon, Junk Ford," and carried placards reading "Jail the Rich, Free the Poor." The Buffalo, New York Police Department reported no arrests, injuries or acts of violence. There was minimum television and news coverage afforded the demonstration. Vice President FORD departed the Statler Hotel at 9:28 PM for Buffalo International Airport and was airborne at 9:50 PM on May 10, 1974.

The following groups were represented at the demonstrations:

Vietnam Veterans Against the War
Youth Against War and Fascism
Communist Party, USA
Young Workers Liberation League
Spartacist League
Attica Brigade
Revolutionary Union

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VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT
GERALD FORD,
BUFFALO, NEW YORK
MAY 10, 1974

The Vietnam Veterans Against the WAR (VVAW) was formed in 1967 as an organization of Vietnam veterans to protest American involvement in the war in Southeast Asia. Since that time VVAW leaders have told members the VVAW is a revolutionary group, not "just another group of war veterans." Also, the membership has been told the VVAW has been asked to cooperate on an international level with many organizations, including communist and Maoist groups. Additionally, it was indicated that "anti-imperialist groups" consider the VVAW a potent organization of similar stature in the United States. In April, 1973, the group changed their name to VVAW/Winter Soldier Organization (WSO) so that non-veterans could become members. Current VVAW/WSO national officers are Marxist-Leninist oriented and strive to educate their membership in Marxist-Leninist doctrine.

Youth Against War and Fascism (YAWF) is the youth group of the Workers World Party (WWP).

The WWP was founded in 1959 by individuals who disagreed with policies of the Socialist Workers Party (SWP). The WWP dissidents advocated unconditional support of the Soviet Union and the building of a revolutionary party geared to the overthrow of Capitalism. More recently, the WWP has called for peaceful solutions to Sino-Soviet disputes, however, the WWP generally supports the Peoples Republic of China in its ideological differences with the Soviet Union.

The SWP has been designated pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT
GERALD FORD,
BUFFALO, NEW YORK
MAY 10, 1974

The Young Workers Liberation League (YWLL) is the youth arm of the Communist Party, USA. It was formed as a Marxist-Leninist Youth Group in February, 1970.

The Spartacist League (SPL) was founded in 1964, by former members of the SWP. The objective of the SPL is to destroy the capitalist system and create a workers class system and society.

The Attica Brigade (AB) is a student based organization founded in New York City in the Fall of 1971. The AB considers itself to be an anti-imperialist organization which views "U. S. imperialism as the main enemy of the people of the world." The Revolutionary Union (RU) has significantly infiltrated the AB and plays a major role in the AB policies, decisions and activities.

The RU was founded in early 1968 and is a militant, semiclandestine organization. Its objectives, as set out in its publications, are the development of a united front against imperialism, the fostering of revolutionary working-class unity and leadership in struggle, and the formation of a communist party based on Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tse-tung thought, leading to the overthrow of the United States Government by force and violence.

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SUBJECT:

CONFIDENTIAL
DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD FORD AT MICHIGAN
STATE UNIVERSITY, EAST LANSING,
MICHIGAN, MAY 24, 1974.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM DETROIT (100-NEW) (P)

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DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD AT MICHIGAN
STATE UNIVERSITY, EAST LANSING, MICHIGAN, MAY/24/74, EM, 00: DE.

MAY 23, 1974
ON ~~INSTANT DATE~~ A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE

INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED A GROUP OF MICHIGAN STATE
UNIVERSITY (MSU) STUDENTS PLANNED TO DEMONSTRATE AGAINST VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD FORD WHEN FORD⁵ ARRIVES AT THE KELLOGG CENTER,
MSU, TO RECEIVE A DISTINGUISHED CITIZENS AWARD FROM THE MSU
BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

SOURCE ADVISED THAT THESE STUDENTS WILL MEET AT BEAUMONT
TOWER LOCATED ON MSU CAMPUS AT 11:30 AM AND WALK TO THE KELLOGG
CENTER TO GREET VICE PRESIDENT FORD WHO IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE
AT 12:30 PM.

SOURCE ADVISED THAT THE STUDENT DEMONSTRATION CANNOT BE
CHARACTERIZED AS ANY ONE SPECIFIC GROUP BUT RATHER CHARACTERIZED
THEMSELVES BY SAYING THAT THEY WANT TO BE IDENTIFIED ONLY AS A
STUDENT COALITION AND NOT REPRESENTED BY ANY ONE ORGANIZATION.

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RE: DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, EM
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SOURCE STATED THAT THE DEMONSTRATION IS CHARACTERIZED BY SOME STUDENTS STATING, "WE ARE NOT ATTACKING FORD OR HIS PERSONALITY BUT WHAT HE REPRESENTS. THIS IS A COALITION OF ORGANIZATIONS THAT ARE WILLING TO PARTICIPATE IN SUCH A DEMONSTRATION."

SOURCE ADVISED THAT NO VIOLENCE IS EXPECTED INASMUCH AS PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION HAS BEEN STRESSED BY ORGANIZERS.

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SOURCE IS [] CLASSIFIED CONFIDENTIAL TO PROTECT SOURCE. LOCAL AGENCIES ADVISED. ON INSTANT DATE AT 4:45 PM SA [] SECRET SERVICE, GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN, WAS ADVISED OF THE ABOVE BY SA [] NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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TO DIRECTOR (125-184369-5) ATTN : INTD

FROM BOSTON (100-39275) (P)

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DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE-PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, NATIONAL
GUARD ARMORY, MANCHESTER, NEW HAMPSHIRE, MAY 31, 1974
IS - BU.

FOR APPROXIMATELY ONE HOUR PRIOR TO ARRIVAL OF VICE PRESIDENT FORD
35 TO 40 PERSONS AFFILIATED WITH THE SEACOAST AREA WORKERS
COMMITTEE (SAWC) DEMONSTRATED PEACEFULLY IN FRONT
OF THE NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY, MANCHESTER, NH CARRYING
BANNERS WHICH READ "IMPEACH NIXON" AND CHANTING
"DUMP NIXON AND JUNK FORD". NO INCIDENTS OCCURRED
DEMONSTRATORS DEPARTED PRIOR TO FORDS
LATE ARRIVAL AT 7:30 PM. AFTER SPEECHES, FORD DEPARTED FROM
MANCHESTER, NH AIRPORT AT APPROXIMATELY 10:25 PM ,
MAY 31, 1974.

SAWC IS A FRONT GROUP FOR THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION
(RU).

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SA [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] USSS ON SCENE AT MANCHESTER, NH WERE KEPT COGNIZANT OF ALL DEVELOPMENTS AS WAS CHIEF JOHN STIPS, MANCHESTER, NH PD.

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**PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION PROTESTING
 APPEARANCE OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD
 FORD, COLUMBUS, OHIO, JUNE 5, 1974.**

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TO DIRECTOR ATTN INTD

FROM CINCINNATI (100-21767) 5P

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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION PROTESTING APPEARANCE OF VICE PRESIDENT
GERALD FORD, COLUMBUS, OHIO, JUNE 5, 1974; IS.

SOURCE, RELIABLE IN PAST, ADVISED TODAY REPRESENTATIVES
OF VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION
(VVAW/WSO) AND ATTICA BRIGADE (AB), POSSIBLY NUMBERING 100 PERSONS,
SUPPOSED TO ASSEMBLE STATEHOUSE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, 6:00 PM TODAY
AND THEN MIGHT PROCEED TO SHERATON-COLUMBUS MOTOR HOTEL, DOWNTOWN
COLUMBUS, OHIO, WHERE VICE PRESIDENT FORD SCHEDULED TO APPEAR
POLITICAL FUND RAISING AFFAIR.

SOURCE SAID REPRESENTATIVES OF THE YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY
(YIP) HAVE DISCUSSED POSSIBILITY OF GOING TO SHERATON-COLUMBUS
MOTOR HOTEL TO OBSERVE BUTTONS BEING WORN BY UNITED STATES SECRET
SERVICE AND SECURITY PEOPLE, THEREAFTER ATTEMPTING TO STEAL A

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BUTTON OR DUPLICATING ONE SO YIP "COULD ACT LIKE SECRET SERVICE".

SOURCE SAID NO VIOLENCE MENTIONED IN CONNECTION WITH APPEARANCE OF VICE PRESIDENT FORD.

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR /WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO): THE VVAW WAS FORMED IN 1967 AS AN ORGANIZATION OF VIETNAM VETERANS TO PROTEST AMERICAN INVOLVEMENT IN THE WAR IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. SINCE THAT TIME VVAW LEADERS HAVE TOLD MEMBERS THIS IS A REVOLUTIONARY GROUP, NOT "JUST ANOTHER GROUP OF WAR VETERANS". ALSO, THE MEMBERSHIP HAS BEEN TOLD THE VVAW HAS BEEN ASKED TO COOPERATE ON AN INTERNATIONAL LEVEL WITH MANY ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING COMMUNIST AND MAOIST GROUPS. ADDITIONALLY, IT WAS INDICATED THAT "ANTI-IMPERIALIST GROUPS" CONSIDER THE VVAW A POTENT ORGANIZATION OF SIMILAR STATURE IN THE US. IN APRIL, 1973, THE GROUP CHANGED THEIR NAME TO VVAW/WSO SO THAT NON-VETERANS COULD BECOME MEMBERS. CURRENT VVAW/WSO NATIONAL OFFICERS ARE MARXIST-LENINIST ORIENTED AND STRIVE TO EDUCATE THEIR MEMBERSHIP IN MARXIST-LENINIST

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DOCTRINE.

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YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY, ALSO KNOWN AS YIPPIES: THE YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY, ALSO KNOWN AS YIPPIES, IS A LOOSELY KNIT, ANTI-ESTABLISHMENT, VIOLENCE PRINE YOUTH ORGANIZATION FORMED IN NEW YORK CITY IN JANUARY, 1968. IN MAY, 1972, A SMALL FACTION CALLINE ITSELF YIP-ZIPPIE CAME INTO BEING, BUT CURRENTLY DOES NOT EXIST AS AN ORGANIZED FACTION OF YIP.

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RE CINCINNATI NITEL TO BUREAU JUNE 4, 1974.

THIS COMMUNICATION CLASSIFIED CONFIDENTIAL TO PROTECT SOURCE, DISCLOSURE OF WHOM WOULD BE EXPECTED TO CAUSE DAMAGE TO NATIONAL SECURITY.

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INTELLIGENCE DIVISION, COLUMBUS POLICE DEPARTMENT, COLUMBUS,
OHIO ADVISED.

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TO DIRECTOR (ATTN: INTD)
FROM CINCINNATI (P) 4P

PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION PROTESTING APPEARANCE OF VICE-PRESIDENT
GERALD R. FORD, COLUMBUS, OHIO, JUNE 5, 1974 INTERNAL SECURITY

TODAY, LT. [REDACTED] INTELLIGENCE DIVISION, COLUMBUS,
OHIO, POLICE DEPARTMENT, ADVISED LEAFLETS ARE BEING CIRCULATED
IN THE COLUMBUS, OHIO, AREA ANNOUNCING POLITICAL APPEARANCE OF
VICE-PRESIDENT FORD, COLUMBUS, OHIO, ON JUNE 5, 1974. LEAFLETS
ENCOURAGE GATHERING AT OHIO STATE HOUSE, BROAD AND HIGH STREETS,
AT 6:00 PM ON ABOVE DATE TO PROTEST VICE-PRESIDENT'S VISIT
TO SHERATON HOTEL IN COLUMBUS, OHIO. DEMONSTRATION ENDORSED BY
VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS AMONG WHICH ARE ATTICA BRIGADE (AB), AND
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION
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ABOVE INFORMATION WAS CORROBORATED BY FIRST CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST.

TODAY, REPRESENTATIVES OF U. S. SECRET SERVICE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, VERIFIED SCHEDULED POLITICAL APPEARANCE OF VICE-PRESIDENT FORD, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FROM APPROXIMATELY 4:30 PM TO 9:00 PM ON JUNE 5, 1974.

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FIRST CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE IS [REDACTED]

REPRESENTATIVE OF SECRET SERVICE CONTACTED AT COLUMBUS,
OHIO, FBI, WAS SA [REDACTED] ABOVE INFORMATION WAS
DISSEMINATED ORALLY TO U.S. SECRET SERVICE, COLUMBUS, OHIO,
AND USA'S OFFICE, COLUMBUS, OHIO.

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CINCINNATI AT COLUMBUS, OHIO, WILL FOLLOW AND KEEP BUREAU
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RUEOLKN/ ☐ Naval Investigative Service

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DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE-PRESIDENT

GERALD R. FORD, CLEVELAND, OHIO, REC-15

JUNE 9, 1974, SPONSORED BY YOUTH

AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM.

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TO DIRECTOR

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FROM CLEVELAND

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DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE-PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD,
CLEVELAND, OHIO, JUNE 9, 1974, SPONSORED BY YOUTH
AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM; IS - YAWF.

ON JUNE 6, 1974, CV T-1 AND CV T-2, WHO HAVE
FURNISHED RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST, ADVISED
A DEMONSTRATION IS SCHEDULED AGAINST THE APPEARANCE OF
VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD AT ANNUAL DINNER OF THE
NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF CHRISTIAN AND JEWS, CLEVELAND
SHERATON HOTEL, CLEVELAND, OHIO, 6:00 PM, JUNE 9, 1974.

SOURCE ADVISED THE DEMONSTRATION IS BEING SPONSORED
BY [REDACTED] AND INDIVIDUALS ASSOCIATED WITH THE YOUTH
AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM (YAWF).

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SOURCE STATED SEVERAL GROUPS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND
INCLUDING MEMBERS OF THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU).
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CV T-1 ADVISED THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL WHITE PEOPLE'S PARTY (NWPP) WOULD ALSO PARTICIPATE. THE NWPP IS FORMERLY THE AMERICAN NAZI PARTY FROM CLEVELAND.

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[REDACTED] IS A FORMER MEMBER OF THE WORKERS WORLD PARTY (WWP).

THE WORKERS WORLD PARTY (WWP) WAS FOUNDED IN 1959 BY INDIVIDUALS WHO DISAGREED WITH POLITICS OF THE SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY (SWP). THE WWP DISSIDENTS ADVOCATED UNCONDITIONAL SUPPORT OF THE SOVIET UNION AND THE BUILDING OF A REVOLUTIONARY PARTY GEARED TO THE OVERTHROW OF CAPITALISM. MORE RECENTLY, THE WWP HAS CALLED FOR PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS TO SINO-SOVIET BORDER DISPUTES; HOWEVER, THE WWP GENERALLY SUPPORTS THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA IN ITS IDEOLOGICAL DIFFERENCES WITH THE SOVIET UNION. YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM IS THE YOUTH GROUP OF THE WORKERS WORLD PARTY.

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THE NATIONAL WHITE PEOPLE'S PARTY (NWPP) IS FORMERLY THE AMERICAN NAZI PARTY, ALSO KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST WHITE PEOPLE'S PARTY, AMERICAN NAZIS, AND THE GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL PARTY, WAS ORGANIZED ON FEBRUARY 26, 1956, AT ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA, BASED UPON THE CONCEPT OF AN INTERNATIONAL "NATIONAL SOCIALIST" MOVEMENT AS ESPOUSED BY THE GERMAN NAZI PARTY HEADED BY ADOLF HITLER. THE ORGANIZATION SUPPORTS AND FOLLOWS THE LINE OF HATRED AGAINST NEGROES, JEWS, AND COMMUNISTS

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THROUGH VARIOUS PROPAGANDA MEDIS SEEKING A LEGITIMATE
DOMINANT POLITICAL PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES AND
FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

SOURCE STATED THE PURPOSE OF THE DEMONSTRATION IS TO PROTEST
MR. FORD SPEAKING IN DEFENSE OF PRESIDENT NIXON.

SOURCE STATED APPROXIMATELY FIFTY DEMONSTRATORS ARE EXPECTED
TO PARTICIPATE, AND THERE IS NO INDICATION OF ANY PLANNED
VIOLENCE OR DISRUPTIVE ACTIVITY.

ON JUNE 7, 1974, SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED], U.S. SECRET
SERVICE, CLEVELAND, OHIO, AND SGT. [REDACTED], HEADQUARTERS
INTELLIGENCE UNIT, CLEVELAND, OHIO, PD ADVISED OF ABOVE.

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CLEVELAND SOURCES ARE IN A POSITION TO ATTEND ABOVE
DEMONSTRATION. CONTACT BEING MAINTAINED WITH SOURCES AND APPROPRI.
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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (ATTN: INTD)

FROM CINCINNATI (100-21767) (C) (2P)

PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION PROTESTING APPEARANCE OF VICE-PRESIDENT
GERALD L. FORD, COLUMBUS, OHIO, JUNE 5, 1974 INTERNAL SECURITY

PARTICIPANTS IN CAPTIONED DEMONSTRATION COMMENCED
ASSEMBLING STATEHOUSE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, 6PM TODAY. AT 6:50 PM,
ESTIMATED 90-100 DEMONSTRATORS MARCHED FROM WEST SIDE STATEHOUSE
TO SHERATON-COLUMBUS MOTOR HOTEL, DOWNTOWN COLUMBUS, OHIO,
WHERE THEY CONDUCTED PICKETING 7:00 PM-7:30 PM, CHANTING ANTI-
FORD AND ANTI-NIXON SLOGANS. DEMONSTRATORS ALSO EXHIBITED ANTI-FC
AND ANTI-NIXON PLACARDS.

AT 7:30 PM, DEMONSTRATORS MARCHED BACK TO NORTH SIDE
STATEHOUSE, WHERE THEY WERE ADDRESSED BY UNKNOWN WHITE MALE WHO
EXTOLLED VIRTUES OF ATTICA BRIGADE.

AT 8:04 PM, DEMONSTRATORS MARCHED AGAIN TO SHERATON-COLUMBUS
MOTOR HOTEL, WHERE THEY RESUMED PICKETING AND CHANTING.

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DEMONSTRATORS HAD DECREASED IN NUMBER TO APPROXIMATELY
50-60 PERSONS.

AT 3:40 PM, DEMONSTRATORS RETURNED TO NORTH SIDE STATEHOUSE,
WHERE THEY DISBANDED.

NO ARRESTS OR VIOLENCE RESULTED.

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RE CINCINNATI TEL TO BUREAU, JUNE 5, 1974.

U.S. SECRET SERVICE, USA AND COLUMBUS PD, COLUMBUS, OHIO,
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TO DIRECTOR (ATTN: INTD)
FROM CLEVELAND 100-34537

DEMONSTRATION AGAINST VICE-PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD,
CLEVELAND, OHIO, JUNE 9, 1974, SPONSORED BY YOUTH
AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM: IS - YAWF.

ON JUNE 9, 1974 CV T-1 AND CV T-2 BOTH OF WHOM HAVE FURNISHED
RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT CAPTIONED
DEMONSTRATION WHICH WAS SCHEDULED AGAINST THE APPEARANCE OF VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD, AT ANNUAL DINNER OF THE NATIONAL
CONFERENCE OF CHRISTIAN AND JEWS, CLEVELAND SHERATON HOTEL,
CLEVELAND, OHIO, 6PM JUNE 9, 1974 MATERIALIZED THIS DATE IN FRONT
OF THE SHERATON HOTEL, CLEVELAND, OHIO. SOURCES STATED AT 6 PM
APPROXIMATELY 15-20 DEMONSTRATORS ASSEMBLED AT FRONT ENTRANCE
TO ABOVE HOTEL.

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DEMONSTRATORS WERE SPLIT BETWEEN PLACARD REPRESENTATION OF THE YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM (YAWF), THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU), SPARTACIST LEAGUE, KENT STATE UNIVERSITY CHAPTER ATTICA BRIGADE, AND INDO CHINA PEACE CAMPAIGN. THEY MARCHED IN ORDERLY PICKET LINE FASHION AND CARRIED PLACARDS WHICH STATED "NIXON - THROW THE BUM OUT" AND "HANDS OFF THE MIDDLE EAST".

YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM.

YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM IS THE YOUTH GROUP OF THE WORKERS WORLD PARTY.

THE WORKERS WORLD PARTY.

THE WORKERS WORLD PARTY (WWP) WAS FOUNDED IN 1959 BY INDIVIDUALS WHO DISAGREED WITH POLICIES OF THE SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY (SWP). THE WWP DISSIDENTS ADVOCATED UNCONDITIONAL SUPPORT OF THE SOVIET UNION AND THE BUILDING OF A REVOLUTIONARY PARTY GEARED TO THE OVERTHROW OF CAPITALISM. MORE RECENTLY, THE WWP HAS CALLED FOR PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS TO SINO-SOVIET BORDER DISPUTES: HOWEVER, THE WWP GENERALLY SUPPORTS THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

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IN ITS IDEOLOGICAL DIFFERENCES WITH THE SOVIET UNION.

THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION.

THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU) WAS FOUNDED IN EARLY 1968 AND IS A MILITANT, SEMICLANDESTINE ORGANIZATION. ITS OBJECTIVES, AS SET OUT IN ITS PUBLICATIONS, ARE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A UNITED FRONT AGAINST IMPERIALISM, THE FOSTERING OF REVOLUTIONARY WORKING-CLASS UNITY AND LEADERSHIP IN STRUGGLE, AND THE FORMATION OF A COMMUNIST PARTY BASED ON MARXISM-LENINISM-MAO TSE-TUNG THOUGHT, LEADING TO THE OVERTHROW OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BY FORCE AND VIOLENCE.

THE SPARATACIST LEAGUE.

THE SPARATACIST LEAGUE (SPL) WAS FOUNDED IN 1964, BY FORMER MEMBERS OF THE SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY (SWP). THE OBJECTIVE OF SPL IS TO DESTROY THE CAPITALIST SYSTEM AND CREATE A WORKING-CLASS SYSTEM.

THE DEMONSTRATION LASTED FROM 6 PM TO 7:25 PM AND AT THE HIGHEST POINT THERE WAS APPROXIMATELY 50-60 DEMONSTRATORS PRESENT. THERE WERE NO ACTS OF VIOLENCE OR DISRUPTIVE ACTIVITY AND

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DEMONSTRATORS PEACEFULLY DISPERSED AT THE CONCLUSION.

AT NO TIME DID DEMONSTRATORS COME INTO CONTACT WITH
VICE-PRESIDENT FORD NOR DID THEY INTERFERE WITH THE
APPEARANCE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT.

U.S. SECRET SERVICE CLEVELAND AND THE CLEVELAND, OHIO
POLICE DEPARTMENT COGNIZANT.

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RE CLEVELAND TEL TO DIRECTOR JUNE 6, 1974.

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IN AS MUCH AS DEMONSTRATION WAS PEACEFUL AND ALL APPROPRIATE
AGENCIES HAVE BEEN ADVISED, NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION BY WESTCHESTER PEOPLES COMMITTEE TO IMPEACH
NIXON AND THE PEOPLES CENTER FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE, OSSINING,
NEW YORK, DURING VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, AT YORKTOWN
NEW YORK, ON JUNE 15, 1974, INTERNAL SECURITY.

ON JUNE 13 INSTANT, SPECIAL AGENT (SA) [REDACTED]
UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, YORKTOWN, NEW YORK, NEW YORK (NY),
ADVISED THAT THE YORKTOWN TOWN SUPERVISOR HAD RECEIVED A WRITTEN
REQUEST FROM [REDACTED] WESTCHESTER PEOPLES COMMITTEE TO
IMPEACH NIXON AND [REDACTED] PEOPLES CENTER FOR PEACE AND
JUSTICE, OSSINING, NY, TO PEACEFULLY DEMONSTRATE DURING THE
VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD TO YORKTOWN, NY, ON JUNE 15
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ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] VICE PRESIDENT FORD , AFTER VISITING HARRIMAN, NY, WILL TRAVEL TO THE LOCK LEDGE COUNTRY CLUB, YORKTOWN, NY, WHERE HE IS EXPECTED TO DELIVER A SPEECH BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 PM AND 10:30 PM, JUNE 15, NEXT.

[REDACTED] STATED THAT THE AFOREMENTIONED GROUPS ANTICIPATED 80 TO 100 PERSONS. THEY HAVE BEEN GRANTED PERMISSION TO PEACEFULLY DEMONSTRATE OUTSIDE THE CLUB GROUNDS MAIN ENTRANCE.

YORKTOWN POLICE HAVE BEEN ADVISED AND WILL AFFORD APPROPRIATE COVERAGE.

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DEMONSTRATION SPONSORED BY WESTCHESTER PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE
TO IMPEACH NIXON AND THE PEOPLE'S CENTER FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE, OSS

NEW YORK, DURING, NEW YORK, DURING VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD
FORD, AT YORKTOWN, NEW YORK ON JUNE 15, 1974.

ON JUNE 17, 1974, A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION
IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT FROM APPROXIMATELY 7:00 PM TO 8:00
PM ON JUNE 15, 1974, ABOUT FIFTY PEOPLE DEMONSTRATED ALONG THE
ROADWAY AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE LOCH LEDGE GOLF AND COUNTRY
CLUB, YORKTOWN, NEW YORK, TO PROTEST THE APPEARANCE THAT EVENING
OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD AT THAT CLUB. THE DEMONSTRATION WAS
SPONSORED BY THE WESTCHESTER PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE TO IMPEACH
NIXON AND THE PEOPLE'S CENTER FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE, OSSING,
NEW YORK. YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY (YIP) LEADER, DANA BEAL,
AND ABOUT FIVE OTHER YIPPIES PARTICIPATED IN THE DEMONSTRATION ALONG
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WITH ABOUT SIX INDIVIDUALS FROM THE YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM (YAWF). THE DEMONSTRATORS DEMANDED NEW ELECTIONS AND YELLED "BURY GERRY" AT PASSING CARS. THERE WERE NO APPRESTS OR INCIDENTS AND THE DEMONSTRATORS BROKE UP BEFORE DARK, ABIDING BY AN EARLIER AGREEMENT MADE WITH THE LOCAL POLICE.

YAWF IS THE YOUTH OF THE WORKERS WORLD PARTY (WWP).

THE WWP WAS FOUNDED IN 1959 BY INDIVIDUALS HAVING A TROTSKYIST BACKGROUND. WWP GENERALLY SUPPORTS THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA IN ITS IDEOLOGICAL DIFFERENCES WITH THE SOVIET UNION.

THE YIP, ALSO KNOWN AS YIPPIES, IS A LOOSELY KNIT ANTIESTABLISHMENT, VIOLENCE PRONE YOUTH ORGANIZATION FORMED IN NEW YORK CITY, IN JANUARY, 1968. IN MAY, 1972, A SMALL FACTION CALLING ITSELF YIP-ZIPPIE CAME INTO BEING, BUT CURRENTLY DOES NOT EXIST AS AN ORGANIZED FACTION OF YIP.

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"DEMONSTRATION SPONSORED BY THE YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY (YIP)
AT LOCK LEDGE GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB, YORKTOWN, NEW YORK, JUNE
15, 1974".

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IN THIS DEMONSTRATION AND DID NOT SPONSOR IT.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM NEW YORK

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RUEADWW/ ☐ White House Situation Room

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RUEBGFA/ ☐ Department of the Air Force (AFOSI)

RUEOLKN/ ☐ Naval Investigative Service

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**DEMONSTRATION SPONSORED BY
WESTCHESTER PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE TO
IMPEACH NIXON AND THE PEOPLE'S CENTER
FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE, OSSINING, NEW YORK,**
(Text of message begins on next page.)

**DURING VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD,
AT YORKTOWN, NEW YORK, ON JUNE 15, 1974.**

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM MINNEAPOLIS 100-1246 2P (P)

DEMONSTRATIONS DURING VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD TO
MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, JUNE 24-25, 1974, SPONSORED BY SOCIALIST
WORDERS PARTY (SWP) AND YOUNG SOCIALIST ALLIANCE (YSA); IS - SWP.

ON JUNE 20, 1974, MP T-1, MP T-2 AND MP T-3, WHO HAVE
FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT MEMBERS
OF THE SWP AND YSA, MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, ARE PLANNING TO
DEMONSTRATE THEIR PROTEST OF U.S. COMPLICITY OF PORTUGUESE
COLONIALISM IN AFRICA, AND THE U.S. GOVERNMENT PROSECUTION OF
AMERICAN INDIANS; IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE VISIT OF U.S. VICE
PRESIDENT GERALD FORD TO MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, JUNE 24-25, 1974.

THE FIRST DEMONSTRATION IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE WHEN
THE VICE PRESIDENT'S AIRPLANE ARRIVES AT MINNEAPOLIS. NEITHER
GROUP IS AWARE OF THE EXACT TIME OF ARRIVAL, BUT AN SWP MEMBER
HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO ASCERTAIN THIS INFORMATION AND ADVISE THE
GROUPS. IT IS NOTED THAT THE VICE PRESIDENT IS DUE TO ARRIVE
AT 12:30AM, JUNE 24, 1974, ACCORDING TO SECRET SERVICE,
MINNEAPOLIS. ABOUT 25 TO 50 INDIVIDUALS ARE EXPECTED TO
PARTICIPATE AND NO VIOLENCE IS PLANNED.

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THE SECOND DEMONSTRATION IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE IN FRONT OF THE NORMANDY INN, MINNEAPOLIS, WHERE THE VICE PRESIDENT WILL BE STAYING AND RETURNING ABOUT NOON, JUNE 24, 1974, FOR A LUNCHEON, FOLLOWING MORNING ACTIVITIES.

THE SWP IS A TROTSKYIST ORGANIZATION WHICH BELIEVES THAT EVENTUAL VIOLENT REVOLUTION TO OVERTHROW THE PRESENT CAPITALIST SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT IN THE U.S. IS INEVITABLE.

THE YSA IS THE YOUTH GROUP OF THE SWP.

THE FOLLOWING PREVIOUSLY ALERTED AGENCIES ARE RECEIVING COPIES OF THIS TELETYPE: U.S. SECRET SERVICE, MP; USA, MP; MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, ST. PAUL; IN ADDITIONAL, THE MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, PD, HAS BEEN ALERTED.

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MINNEAPOLIS WILL FOLLOW AND SUTEL AND NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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PRESIDENT GERALD FORD TO MINNEAPOLIS,
MINNESOTA, JUNE 24-25, 1974, SPONSORED
BY SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY (SWP) AND YOUNG
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TO DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM MINNEAPOLIS 100-1246 5P (P)

DEMONSTRATIONS DURING VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT FORD TO
MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, JUNE 24-25, 1974, SPONSORED BY SOCIALIST
WORKERS PARTY (SWP) AND YOUNG SOCIALIST ALLIANCE (YSA); IS - SWP.

MP T-1, WHO HAS PROVIDED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE
PAST, ADVISED ON EVENING OF JUNE 23, 1974, THAT THE PROTEST
GROUPS OF THE SWP AND YSA, MINNEAPOLIS, COULD NOT ASCERTAIN THE
TIME OF THE ARRIVAL OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD AT MINNEAPOLIS,
AND BECAUSE OF THIS, THEY WOULD NOT PROTEST AT THE AIRPORT. AT
1:00AM ON JUNE 24, 1974, THE VICE PRESIDENT ARRIVED WITHOUT
INCIDENT AT THE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, MINNEAPOLIS.

ON JUNE 23, 1974, MP T-2, WHO HAS PROVIDED RELIABLE INFOR-
MATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT THE NEW AMERICAN MOVEMENT (NAM),
MINNEAPOLIS, WOULD JOIN THE SWP AND YSA PROTEST GROUPS ON AFTER-
NOON OF JUNE 24, 1974, AT THE NORMANDY INN MOTORLODGE, MINNEAPOLIS,
WHEREIN VICE PRESIDENT FORD IS SCHEDULED TO STAY JUNE 24-25,
1974. MP T-2 ADVISED THAT NAM WOULD GATHER AT THE NORMANDY
INN MOTORLODGE AT AROUND 11:30PM AND [REDACTED]
NAM SYMPATHIZERS AND ACTIVISTS WERE EXPECTED TO ATTEND.

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MP T-2 ADVISED ALSO THAT NAM WOULD PROTEST IN BEHALF OF THE WOUNDED KNEE DEFENDANTS WHO ARE STANDING TRIAL IN SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA, AND ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA, IN CONNECTION WITH THE WOUNDED KNEE INCIDENT, WOUNDED KNEE, SOUTH DAKOTA, FEBRUARY THROUGH MAY, 1973. MP T-2 SAID THAT NO VIOLENCE WAS PLANNED OR ANTICIPATED ON THE PART OF NAM PROTESTORS.

ON JUNE 24, 1974, SPECIAL AGENTS OF THE FBI OBSERVED APPROXIMATELY 100 INDIVIDUALS GATHERED AT THE NORMANDY INN, MINNEAPOLIS, CARRYING PICKETS ENTITLED, "FREEDON NOW FOR GUINEA, U.S. OUT OF AFRICA, FREE SIOUX FALLS DEFENDANTS, NO MORE BROKEN TREATIES, FORD HAS SOME OLD IDEAS. INDIVIDUALS IDENTIFIED THEMSELVES AND OTHERS WERE IDENTIFIED BY AGENTS OF THE FBI AS MEMBERS OF THE SWP, YSA, NAM AND AIM, MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA. A FAVORITE SLOGAN SHOUTED BY DEMONSTRATORS WAS, "JAIL FORD NOT BANKS AND MEANS." (BANKS AND MEANS ARE LEADERS OF THE AMERICAN INDIAN MOVEMENT (AIM), ACCORDING TO MP T-1).

INDIVIDUALS WHO SPOKE AT ABOVE DEMONSTRATION IDENTIFIED THEMSELVES AS [REDACTED] A LEADERS OF AIM; [REDACTED] FORMER ORGANIZER OF THE YSA, MINNEAPOLIS; [REDACTED] MEMBER OF THE SWP, MINNEAPOLIS; AND [REDACTED] MEMBER OF THE NAM,
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MINNEAPOLIS. THE DEMONSTRATIONS CONSISTED OF PARADING AROUND THE ABOVE MOTOR LODGE, CARRYING SIGNS AND SHOUTING ANTI-GOVERNMENT SLOGANS. THE DEMONSTRATIONS LASTED APPROXIMATELY ONE HOUR AND NO ARRESTS OR INCIDENTS OF VIOLENCE OCCURRED.

ON JUNE 24, 1974, MP T-1 ADVISED THAT THE LOCAL YSA AND SWP GROUPS HAVE NOT PLANNED ANY FURTHER PROTESTS DURING THE REMAINDER OF VICE PRESIDENT FORD'S STAY IN MINNEAPOLIS.

THE SWP IS A TROTSKYIST ORGANIZATION WHICH BELIEVES THAT EVENTUAL VIOLENT REVOLUTION TO OVERTHROW THE PRESENT CAPITALIST SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT IN THE U.S. IS INEVITABLE.

THE YSA IS THE YOUTH GROUP OF TH SWP.

THE AMERICAN INDIAN MOVEMENT (AIM) WAS FOUNDED IN MINNESOTA IN 1968, DEDICATED TO IMPROVING CONDITIONS FOR THE AMERICAN INDIAN. AIM LED AND PARTICIPATED IN CONFRONTATIONS WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN SCOTTSBLUFF, NEBRASKA, AND THE RAPID CITY-CUSTER AREA OF SOUTH DAKOTA. AIM LED THE TAKEOVER AND OCCUPATION OF WOUNDED KNEE, SOUTH DAKOTA, IN FEBRUARY-MAY, 1973.

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ON FEBRUARY 27, 1973, MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN INDIAN MOVEMENT (AIM) WITH NON-INDIAN SUPPORTERS, SEIZED HOSTAGES AND BY FORCE OF ARMS, OCCUPIED THE TOWN OF WOUNDED KNEE, SOUTH DAKOTA, ON THE PINE RIDGE INDIAN RESERVATION, DURING WHICH PARTS OF THE TOWN WERE BURNED AND RANSACKED, SIX MEMBERS OF AIM WERE WOUNDED, TWO FATALLY, TWO FEDERAL OFFICERS WERE WOUNDED, ONE PERMANENTLY PARALYZED, IN SEVERAL EXCHANGES OF GUNFIRE BETWEEN OCCUPANTS AND SURROUNDING GOVERNMENT FORCES. ON MAY 8, 1973, THE OCCUPATION ENDED BY THE SURRENDER OF THE REMAINING OCCUPANTS. MORE THAN 200 ARRESTS WERE MADE IN CONNECTION WITH THE OCCUPATION.

THE GOAL OF THE NEW AMERICAN MOVEMENT (NAM) IS DEMOCRATIC SOCIALISM AND THE CREATION OF A SOCIETY CHARACTERIZED BY ECONOMIC RACIAL AND SEXUAL EQUALITY TOGETHER WITH DEMOCRATIC CONTROL OF ALL MEANS OF PRODUCTION.

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USA, MINNEAPOLIS; MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA.

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(C) MP T-1 IS [REDACTED]

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AGENTS OF THE FBI ARE IDENTIFIED AS SA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] MARK A. KIRKLAND AND

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NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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2/18PM NITEL JULY 7, 1974

TO DIRECTOR

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FROM SAN ANTONIO (62-0)

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[REDACTED] STEVEN WOSTAL; MISCELLANEOUS CONCERNING.

ON INSTANT DATE CAPTIONED SUBJECTS APPREHENDED WILSON COUNTY SHERIFFS OFFICE WHILE ATTEMPTING TO ENTER JOHN CONNALLY'S RANCH, CAPTIONED SUBJECTS ALLEGED PURPOSE OF WHICH WAS TO INTERVIEW HIM RE AGRICULTURAL MATTERS. DURING INTERVIEW BY WILSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE WOSTAL STATED THAT THEY HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE VICE-PRESIDENT FORD IN DALLAS, TEXAS. WOSTAL FURTHER STATED ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT VICE-PRESIDENT FORD WERE TO "SPEAK TO HIM NOT TO KILL HIM".

[REDACTED] DESCRIBED AS WHITE FEMALE, DOB [REDACTED] SSAN [REDACTED]. RESIDENCE [REDACTED] KENTUCKY.

STEVEN WOSTAL DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, DOB DECEMBER 26, 1907, TEXAS DRIVERS LICENSE 0663941.

SAN ANTONIO INDICIES NEGATIVE, AND NCIC NEGATIVE RE CAPTIONED SUBJECTS.

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SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] U. S. SECRET SERVICE, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS WAS ADVISED OF ABOVE INFORMATION RE INSTANT MATTER, AND INDICATED U.S. SECRET SERVICE, SAN ANTONIO, WOULD RECONTACT DEPUTY SHERIFF [REDACTED] WILSON COUNTY, SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED SAN ANTONIO DIVISION IN VIEW OF HANDLING BY U.S. SECRET SERVICE SAN ANTONIO.

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1:20 PM NITEL 7/23/74 JEM

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, CLEVELAND (100-34574) 3P

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ON 11-20-2007

~~C O N F I D E N T I A L~~

VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD, TO FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME,
CANTON, OHIO, JULY 26-27, 1974, ~~IS - MISC~~

ON JULY 9, 1974, AND JULY 22, 1974, SA U.S.
SECRET SERVICE, CLEVELAND, OHIO, ADVISED VICE PRESIDENT GERALD
R. FORD IS SCHEDULED TO VISIT CANTON, OHIO, ON JULY 26-27, 1974.
THE VICE PRESIDENT WILL ARRIVE EVENING OF JULY 26, 1974, AND
REMAIN OVERNIGHT AT HOOVER HOUSE, CANTON, OHIO, AND IS
SCHEDULED TO PARTICIPATE AT INDUCTION CEREMONIES AT FOOTBALL HALL
OF FAME, CANTON, OHIO, ON JULY 27, 1974. HE WILL DEPART CANTON
IN P.M., JULY 27, 1974.

ON JULY 16, 1974, A SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE
INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT ONE
CAR LOAD OF PEOPLE FROM CLEVELAND, OHIO, REPRESENTING YOUTH
AGAINST WAS AND FASCISM (YAWF) WOULD ATTEND THE INDUCTION
CEREMONIES IN ORDER TO DEMONSTRATE AGAINST THE VICE PRESIDENT.
SOURCE ALSO LEARNED A SMALL GROUP FROM KENT STATE UNIVERSITY
(KSU) ALSO PLANNED TO ATTEND IN SOLIDARITY WITH YAWF.
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~~YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM~~

~~Y~~ ^{YAWF} ~~YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM~~ IS THE YOUTH GROUP OF THE
WORKERS WORLD PARTY (WWP).

~~WORKERS WORLD PARTY~~

~~W~~ ^{WWP} ~~THE WORKERS WORLD PARTY (WWP)~~ WAS FOUNDED IN 1959 BY
INDIVIDUALS WHO DISAGREED WITH POLICIES OF THE SOCIALIST
WORKERS PARTY (SWP). THE WWP DISSIDENTS ADVOCATED UNCONDITIONAL
SUPPORT OF THE SOVIET UNION AND THE BUILDING OF A REVOLUTIONARY
PARTY GEARED TO THE OVERTHROW OF CAPITALISM. MORE RECENTLY, THE
WWP HAS CALLED FOR PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS TO SINO-SOVIET BORDER
DISPUTES; HOWEVER, THE WWP GENERALLY SUPPORTS THE PEOPLE'S
REPUBLIC OF CHINA IN ITS IDEOLOGICAL DIFFERENCES WITH THE
SOVIET UNION.

SOURCE WAS UNABLE TO DETERMINE EXACT NUMBER OR IDENTITY
OF THOSE WHO PLAN TO DEMONSTRATE, HOWEVER, NO VIOLENCE OR
DISRUPTIVE ACTIVITY IS PLANNED.

ON JULY 16, 1974, AND JULY 22, 1974, SA U.S. SECRET
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SERVICE, CLEVELAND, WAS ADVISED OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION.

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DATE OF DECLASSIFICATION INDEFINITE.~~

SOURCE IS



~~CLEVELAND WILL MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH SOURCE FOR ANY
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. THE BUREAU AND US SECRET SERVICE WILL
BE ADVISED OF ANY PERTINENT DETAILS.~~

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~~1450 PM NITEL JUL 27, 1974 BDR~~

~~TO: DIRECTOR, FBI~~

~~FROM: BUTTE (175 NEW) THREE PAGES~~

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UNKNOWN SUBJECT,

THREAT TO KILL THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

OO: BUTTE.

[REDACTED] ARGONNE NATIONAL

LABORATORY, ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, IDAHO OPERATIONS, IDAHO
FALLS, IDAHO, ADVISED ON JULY 26, 1974, EMPLOYEE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHOSE SECOND JOB IN THE EVENINGS IS A PART TIME

IDAHO FALLS, IDAHO, REPORTED TO HIS OFFICE AS FOLLOWS:

[REDACTED] REPORTED FOR [REDACTED] JOB NEAR 8:00P.M., JULY
25, 1974. IN A VERY FEW MINUTES, HE OBSERVED AND OVERHEARD TWO
PERSONS SITTING AT THE BAR DISCUSSING KILLING PEOPLE. NUMBER ONE
MAN WHOSE VOICE WAS CLEAR AND SOMEWHAT LOUD SAID SOMETHING LIKE HE
HAD KILLED PEOPLE OR A PERSON AND GOT AWAY WITH IT. HE ALSO
STATED HE HAD A PERFECT PLAN THAT WAS FOOL PROOF. HE WOULD BE
GONE IN A PLANE BEFORE ANYONE KNEW WHAT WAS HAPPENING. HE WAS GOING
TO KILL GERALD FORD.

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[] UPON INTERVIEW, SUBSTANTIALLY STATED THE SAME AS
[] REPORTED. HE RELATED HE DID NOT REPORT THE INCIDENT
UNTIL THE NEXT AFTERNOON DUE TO NOT THINKING AND BELIEVING IT
WAS POSSIBLY WHISKEY TALK. AFTER TALKING WITH FRIENDS, THEY
URGED HIM TO REPORT THE SAME TO []

[] STATED HE HEARD VERY LITTLE OF THE NUMBER TWO MAN'S
PART OF THE CONVERSATION. NUMBER ONE WAS LOUD AND POSSIBLY
SOMEWHAT INTOXICATED. HE WAS AT THE BAR FOR APPROXIMATELY 20
MINUTES AND ASKED FOR TELEPHONE CHANGE, WENT TO THE TELEPHONE
AND WAS NOT OBSERVED AGAIN.

NUMBER TWO MAN STAYED AT THE BAR FOR APPROXIMATELY TEN
MINUTES MORE AND DEPARTED. NEITHER MAN WAS OBSERVED AGAIN. THE
TWO MEN DID NOT APPEAR TO BE TOGETHER AND HE DID NOT KNOW IF
THEY WERE REGISTERED AT THE MOTEL.

[] FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTIONS:

NUMBER ONE MAN, WHITE MALE, 25 TO 30 YEARS, FIVE FEET EIGHT
TO FIVE FEET NINE, 170 POUNDS, STOUT BUILD, DARK HAIR, DRESSED
IN BLUE JEANS.

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NUMBER TWO MAN, WHITE MALE, 45 TO 50 YEARS, FIVE FEET TEN TO FIVE FEET ELEVEN, 190 TO 200 POUNDS, HAIR RECEDING AND GRAYING AT THE TEMPLE, DRESSED IN WHITE SHIRT, NECKTIE AND PECULIARITY, PAUNCHY STOMACH.

[] VOLUNTEERED AND CHECKED ALL BARS IN IDAHO FALLS, IDAHO, FOR EITHER OF THESE MEN DURING THE NIGHT OF JULY 26, 1974, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

SA [] U.S. SECRET SERVICE, BOISE, IDAHO, WAS TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED ABOVE FACTS JULY 26, 1974, BY SA RUSSELL E. CECIL, FBI.

VICE PRESIDENT GERALD FORD IS SCHEDULED TO VISIT IDAHO FALLS AND THE ARGONNE NATIONAL LABORATORY, IDAHO OPERATIONS, ON AUGUST 14, 1974.

~~INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.~~

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If any information is developed indicating a possible violation of Title 18, Section 1751, U. S. Code, please notify the FBI immediately.

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~~4:10PM NITEL JULY 28, 1974 JKG~~

~~TO: DIRECTOR~~

~~FROM: BOSTON (175-0)~~

~~UNSUB. THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE U.S.~~

ON JULY 28, 1974, AT 3:25PM AGENT [REDACTED] U.S. ~~SECRET SERVICE~~
BOSTON, MASS. WAS ADVISED OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RECEIVED
TELEPHONICALLY THIS DATE FROM [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], CAMBRIDGE, MASS: HE OVERHEARD A MAN IN HARVARD
SQ., CAMBRIDGE, MASS. SAY HE WOULD SHOOT VICE PRESIDENT FORD
UPON HIS ARRIVAL IN THIS AREA IN THE MIDDLE OF THIS WEEK.
[REDACTED] SAID HE WILL BE AVAILABLE AT HIS APARTMENT ON AM,
JULY 29, 1974 AND MIGHT HAVE A PHOTO OF THE UNSUB. ABOVE
FURNISHED TO SECRET SERVICE BY SA GEORGE W. WHALEN, BOSTON,
DIVISION.

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4:35 PM URGENT 7/8/74 PPH

TO DIRECTOR

FROM DALLAS (175-44) (P) 2P

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UNSUB; INCIDENT OCCURRING DURING VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD,
 JR.'S MOTORCADE AT DALLAS, TEXAS, JULY 7, 1974. PROTECTION OF
 THE VICE PRESIDENT.

REPRESENTATIVES OF U. S. SECRET SERVICE, TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF
 PUBLIC SAFETY AND DALLAS, TEXAS POLICE DEPARTMENT ADVISED THIS
 DATE THAT THEY HAVE COMPLETED INVESTIGATION ON CAPTIONED MATTER
 AND ALL COLLECTIVELY ARE OF THE OPINION THAT THE WINDOW GLASS,
 WHICH SHATTERED DURING THE MOTORCADE DID NOT SHATTER AS A RESULT
 OF BEING STRUCK BY A BULLET.

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OCCUPANTS OF THE VEHICLE IN WHICH THE WINDOW SHATTERED ADVI:
 THEY HEARD TWO DISTINCT SOUNDS. THE FIRST SOUND WAS A LOUD REPOI
 AND THE DRIVER AND ONE OCCUPANT NOTED A SMALL HOLE ABOUT THE SIZE
 OF A CLOSED FIST IN THE DOOR WINDOW GLASS. ALMOST IMMEDIATELY
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY, PHYSICS & CHEMISTRY SECTION

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (175-44)(P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
INCIDENT OCCURRING DURING
VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD, JR.,
MOTORCADE AT DALLAS, TEXAS
7/6/74
PROTECTION OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

Re Dallas teletype to Bureau dated 7/6/74.

Enclosed for the Laboratory are two envelopes containing glass from the door window which was scattered during captioned motorcade.

For information of the Laboratory, the glass which has been enclosed was gathered by Bureau Agents approximately two hours after captioned incident. The glass marked as having been obtained from the parking lot at the World Trade Mart, 2100 Stemmons was the glass which had remained in the window frame and had been removed at the scene of the parking lot. It should be noted this glass was in a traffic pattern and had been run over by numerous vehicles prior to the time it was collected for submission to the Laboratory.

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*TT Dallas
7/10/74
FLE. par*

The glass marked as having been obtained from Highway 114 was collected from along the roadway in a space of 50 to 60 yards and had apparently been scattered both by the original incident which shattered the window and subsequent traffic along this busy highway.

For information of the Laboratory, the individuals riding in the Texas Department of Public Safety vehicle heard two distinct sounds when the window shattered. The first sound was a loud report and the driver noted a small hole in his door window glass. Shortly thereafter the major part of the window crystalized, leaving only small amounts of glass in the window frame. When the window crystalized, glass blew inside and outside the car.

The Laboratory is requested to examine the enclosed glass and attempt to determine what type of incident caused the glass to shatter and expeditiously advise Dallas of the results of the examination.

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1 - Mr. Morrow, 5714
1 - Mr. Harrington,
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1 - Office, 7133
1 - Mr. Edwards

7/11/74

TO SAC DALLAS (175-44)

FROM DIRECTOR FBI

RE UNSUB; INCIDENT OCCURRING DURING VICE PRESIDENT
GERALD R. FORD, JR., MOTORCADE AT DALLAS, TEXAS, JULY 6, 1974,
PROTECTION OF THE VICE PRESIDENT AND YOUR AIRTEL JULY 8, 1974,
AND SUBMITTED GLASS FRAGMENTS.

NO "CONING" OR OTHER UNUSUAL FRACTURE PATTERNS WERE FOUND
TO INDICATE A HIGH SPEED MISSILE. NO FOREIGN MATERIALS
SUGGESTIVE OF A ROCK OR BULLET WERE FOUND ON THE GLASS FRAG-
MENTS.

IT WAS NOT POSSIBLE, THEREFORE, TO DETERMINE, FROM AN
EXAMINATION OF THE GLASS FRAGMENTS WHAT CAUSED THE WINDOW TO
SHATTER OR WHETHER AN OBJECT STRUCK THE WINDOW NEAR ANY OF THE
SUBMITTED FRAGMENTS.

REPORT AND EVIDENCE FOLLOW.

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Ford Asks Advice on Vice Presidency

Leaders of Both Parties Invited to Submit Nominees

BY RUDY ABRAMSON

Times Staff Writer

WASHINGTON—President Ford called on leaders of the Republican Party Saturday to help him fill the Vice Presidency he vacated when Richard M. Nixon resigned.

Following the same procedure Mr. Nixon used before nominating Mr. Ford as Vice President last October, the new President asked ranking Republicans to submit their top three choices in order of priority.

White House Press Secretary J. F. terHorst said that Mr. Ford wanted the nominations on his desk by Wednesday so he could begin his final selection, a job he has given top priority in the first days of his Administration.

There has already been widespread speculation that the office will go to former New York Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller, a possibility frowned on by many of Mr. Ford's longtime associates in the conservative wing of the GOP.

terHorst told reporters Saturday that Mr. Ford had set no specific guidelines or criteria for the person he would nominate.

In fact, terHorst said, the President, besides asking Republican governors, members of Congress, national committee officers and his Cabinet to make nominations, had made the same request of the Democratic leaders in Congress. House

Speaker Carl Albert of Oklahoma and Sen. Mike Mansfield of Montana.

terHorst said Mr. Ford was asking not only that nominations be made in order, but also that each person making recommendations explain the reasons for their choices.

But he emphasized that the President would make the ultimate choice alone. "I am sure," terHorst said, "the President is not going to turn this into a beauty contest and do it on the basis of who has the most votes."

There has been much speculation about Rockefeller because of Mr. Ford's close relationship with former Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird, a longtime Rockefeller supporter.

Laird strongly backed Mr. Ford's nomination as Vice President last year.

(In Los Angeles Friday, Rep. Charles E. Wiggins [R-Calif.] predicted that Mr. Ford would not select a Republican elder statesman for Vice President but would turn

to a person who would be a strong running mate in 1976.)

Less than 24 hours after he had been sworn into office, the President held his first meeting with the Cabinet left behind by Mr. Nixon.

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The President told Cabinet members that he wanted them, as well as heads of government agencies such as the FBI and the Central Intelligence Agency, to remain on their jobs indefinitely. Ford said he did not even want the customary formal resignations.

TerHorst said the Cabinet officers agreed to remain. Speaking for them, Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger was quoted as saying, "Now we want to express unflagging support and total loyalty to you."

In seeking to minimize the disruption caused by the unprecedented presidential resignation, Mr. Ford continued meeting Saturday with top members of the White House staff and the four-man team he brought in Friday to help manage the transition to the new Administration.

He held his first meeting with the National Security Council and sent letters to a number of foreign leaders, including those of the Soviet Union and the People's Republic of China, assuring them that America's foreign policy would remain unchanged.

The Cabinet and National Security Council discussions were understood to have been general, covering such matters as how Mr. Ford planned to work with Administration leaders, rather than dealing with substantive issues.

In seeking to bolster his pledge of an open, candid Administration, TerHorst said, the President emphasized to the Cabinet officers that he expected them to be "affirmative" in their relations with the press.

Also he told the officials that he expected to deal

with them individually and in person on matters affecting their departments rather than communicating through memoranda.

In emphasizing what he expected in the way of press relations and his plans for dealing with his Cabinet, he was already drawing a distinction between his Administration and the Nixon administration.

Mr. Nixon, even before his administration was beset by scandals, was a loner who preferred to work with a small circle of senior White House aides rather than dealing frequently and directly with leaders of the federal bureaucracy.

After his meetings with the Cabinet and National Security Council, Mr. Ford said through TerHorst that he was postponing all trips at home and abroad.

The most pressing problems that need to be solved are right here in the White House and in Washington," TerHorst told reporters.

TerHorst said Mr. Ford enjoyed press conferences and expected to have them frequently, but the first one probably would not be called for a week or two.

In the afternoon, with Mr. Ford looking on, Robert T. Hartmann took the oath in the Oval Office as presidential counselor with Cabinet rank.

The President said he and his staff had put in a full day of work and declared, "We're moving along."

He described Hartmann, who had been his chief of staff when he was Vice President, as an invaluable assistant.

Earlier, Mr. Ford announced that John O.

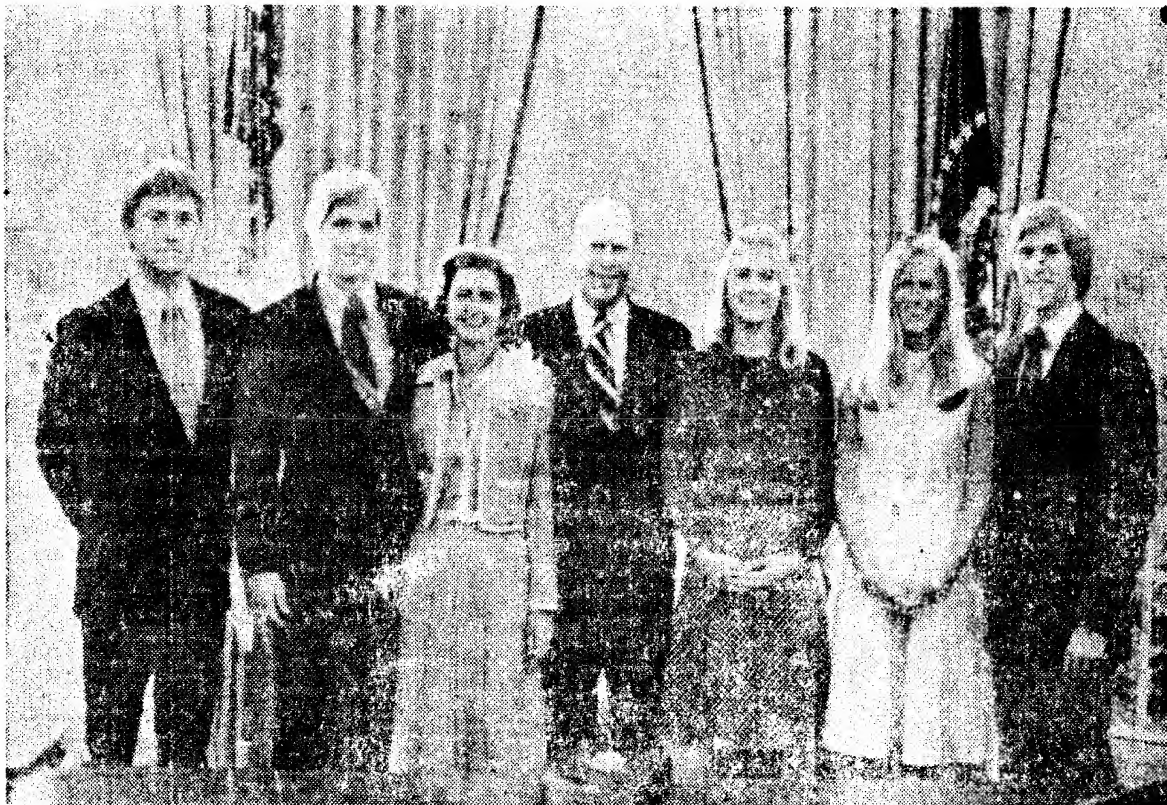
Marsh Jr., a former Democratic House member from Virginia and a member of the vice presidential staff, also would become a Cabinet-rank counselor.

TerHorst said Hartmann and Marsh would not have specialized responsibilities but would carry out "whatever assignments the President cares to give them."

Still commuting to the White House from subur-

ban Alexandria, Va., the President planned to spend a quiet evening at home Saturday, go to church this morning, then back to the Executive Mansion for an afternoon's work in the Oval Office.

Among other things, he was working on a televised address he will deliver to a joint session of Congress scheduled for 6 p.m. Monday.



FIRST FAMILY—The Fords, in photo released by White House: from left, son John, 22, son Ste-

ven, 18, Mrs. Ford, the President, daughter Susan, 17, daughter-in-law Gayle, 22, son Michael, 24.

MR. JENKINS

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J. W. MARSHALL

GERALD RUDOLPH FORD, Jr.
SPECIAL INQUIRY - BUREAU FILE 161-9896

Per instructions from Mr. Callahan the captioned file, which contains the results of the extensive Special Inquiry investigation conducted concerning Mr. Ford prior to his being designated Vice President, will be retained in my office and will not be charged out to anyone without my approval. I will also maintain in my office file 94-40611 concerning Mr. Ford and file 67-221008 entitled "Gerald Rudolph Ford, Jr., Special Agent Applicant."

Abstracts relating to these files will likewise be restricted and will not be made available to anyone without my approval.

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FROM CLEVELAND (100-34700) (P) 4P

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VISIT OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD TO COLUMBUS, OHIO,
AUGUST 30, 1974, INTERNAL-SECURITY.

ON AUGUST 27, 1974, POSTER OBSERVED ON BULLETIN BOARD
AT KENT STATE UNIVERSITY (KSU) STUDENT CENTER, KENT, OHIO.
WHICH STATED:

"DEMONSTRATION AGAINST PRESIDENT FORD. NIXON MAY
BE GONE BUT THE SYSTEM STILL IS THE SAME. GERALD FORD IS
NOTHING NEW. WE DEMAND THREE THINGS: 1) STOP POLICE
REPRESSION IN BLACK AND THIRD WORLD COMMUNITIES, 2)
FURNISH DECENT AID FOR IMPROVED HOUSING, 3) STOP UNITED
STATES INTERVENTION ABROAD.

REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE (RSB) MEET ON LAWN OF
ROTC BUILDING AT OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY CAMPUS, COLUMBUS,
OHIO, 8:30 AM, AUGUST 30, 1974. FOR RIDES OR INFORMATION
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CALL 678-9233."

REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE

THE REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE (RSB), FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE ATTICA BRIGADE, IS A STUDENT-BASED ORGANIZATION FOUNDED IN NEW YORK CITY IN THE FALL OF 1971. THE RSB CONSIDERS ITSELF TO BE AN ANTI-IMPERIALIST ORGANIZATION WHICH VIEWS UNITED STATES IMPERIALISM AS THE MAIN ENEMY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD. THE RSB FAVORS VIOLENT ACTIONS TO FURTHER ITS CAUSE AND IS MOVING CLOSER IN IDEOLOGY TO THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU), WHICH HAS SIGNIFICANTLY INFILTRATED THE RSB AND PLAYS A MAJOR ROLE IN THE RSB POLICIES, DECISIONS AND ACTIVITIES. AS OF JULY, 1974, THE RSB IS HEADQUARTERED IN NEW YORK CITY. THE RU IS A BASIC MARXIST-LENINIST-MAOIST REVOLUTIONARY ORGANIZATION.

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REVOLUTIONARY UNION, ALSO KNOWN AS RED UNION
BAY AREA REVOLUTIONARY UNION

THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU) WAS FOUNDED IN
EARLY 1968 AND IS A MILITANT, SEMICLANDESTINE
ORGANIZATION. ITS OBJECTIVES, AS SET OUT IN ITS
PUBLICATIONS, ARE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A UNITED FRONT
AGAINST IMPERIALISM, THE FOSTERING OF REVOLUTIONARY
WORKING-CLASS UNITY AND LEADERSHIP IN STRUGGLE, AND
THE FORMATION OF A COMMUNIST PARTY BASED ON MARXISM-
LENINISM-MAO TSE-TUNG THOUGHT, LEADING TO THE OVER-
THROW OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BY FORCE AND
VIOLENCE.

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ABOVE TELEPHONE NUMBER LISTED TO RSB LEADER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RSB, KENT STATE UNIVERSITY CHAPTER, HAS APPROXIMATELY
EIGHT MEMBERS. UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME WHETHER OR NOT ANY MEMBERS
PLAN TO TRAVEL TO COLUMBUS.

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INDIVIDUAL OBSERVING ABOVE-MENTIONED POSTER WAS
LIEUTENANT COLONEL JOHN SCRIVNER, ADVISOR ROTC, KENT
STATE UNIVERSITY, KENT, OHIO.

US SECRET SERVICE, CLEVELAND, OHIO, HAS BEEN ADVISED
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TO DIRECTOR (ATTENTION INTD)

CLEVELAND (100-34700)

FROM CINCINNATI (100-21855)

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PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION PROTESTING APPEARANCE OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD IN COLUMBUS, OHIO, AUGUST 30, 1974, SPONSORED BY SDS/WSA AND RSB: IS - SDS/WSA AND RSB.

TODAY, CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN PAST, ADVISED LEAFLETS ANNOUNCING CAPTIONED DEMONSTRATION CURRENTLY BEING CIRCULATED IN OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY (OSU), COLUMBUS, OHIO AREA. LEAFLETS URGE PARTICIPANTS TO DEMONSTRATE AGAINST PRESIDENT FORD BY MEETING APPROXIMATELY 8:00 A.M. AUGUST 30/74, AT RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING CORPS (ROTC) BUILDING, OSU CAMPUS, LOCATION NEXT TO ST. JOHNS ARENA, SITE OF PRESIDENT'S SPEECH. LEAFLETS STATED

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PURPOSE OF DEMONSTRATION AS FOLLOWS: "END U.S. INTERFERENCE ABROAD BY DISCONTINUING SUPPORT OF DICTATORS IN VIETNAM, IRAN, AND OTHER COUNTRIES;" STOP POLICE REPRESSION IN BLACK, CHICANO, AND OTHER THIRD WORLD COMMUNITIES;" DEMAND "UNIVERSAL UNCONDITIONAL AMNESTY FOR EVADERS OF DRAFT;" "END ATTACKS ON PEOPLE'S LIVING STANDARDS, DECENT HOUSING, HEALTH CARE, AND EDUCATION FOR ALL PEOPLE."

INSTANT SOURCE ADVISED LEAFLETS ENDORSED BY VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS IN OSU AREA, SOME OF WHICH ARE REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE (RSB) AND VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/SSO).

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IS BASIC MARXIST-LENINIST-MAOIST REVOLUTIONARY ORGANIZATION.

VVAW WAS FORMED IN 1967 AS ORGANIZATION OF VIETNAM VETERANS PROTEST AMERICAN INVOLVEMENT IN WAR IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. SINCE THAT TIME VVAW LEADERS HAVE TOLD MEMBERS THE VVAW IS REVOLUTIONARY GROUP NOT "JUST ANOTHER GROUP OF WAR VETERANS." ALSO, THE MEMBERSHIP HAS BEEN TOLD VVAW HAS BEEN ASKED TO COOPERATE ON INTERNATIONAL LEVEL WITH MANY ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING COMMUNIST AND MAOIST GROUPS. ADDITIONALLY, IT WAS INDICATED THAT "ANTI-IMPERIALIST GROUP" CONSIDER VVAW POTENT ORGANIZATION OF SIMILAR STATURE IN U.S. IN APRIL 1973, GROUP CHANGED THEIR NAME TO VVAW/WSO SO NON-VETERANS COULD BECOME MEMBERS. CURRENT VVAW/WSO NATIONAL OFFICERS ARE MARXIST-LENINIST ORIENTED AND STRIVE TO EDUCATE THEIR MEMBERSHIP IN MARXIST-LENINIST DOCTRINE.

SOURCE ADVISED NO PLANS OF VIOLENCE BEING DISCUSSED AND HE ESTIMATED PARTICIPANTS WILL NUMBER APPROXIMATELY 100-150 PERSONS.

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TO DIRECTOR
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FROM PHILADELPHIA (62-5694) 6 PGS

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VISIT OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD, MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AND SUPREME COURT TO PHILADELPHIA, SEPTEMBER 6, 1974.

ON SEPTEMBER 6, 1974, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED A PLACARD OF THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR AND THE WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO) APPEARED ON CAMPUS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, PHILADELPHIA, CALLING FOR PICKETING OF PRESIDENT FORD, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1974, 5:00 P.M., INDEPENDENCE HALL.

TEXT OF PLACARD READS AS FOLLOWS:

"NIXON IS NOT THE ONLY ONE.

"GERALD FORD IS A SHAM. SAME OLDBAGGE FROM THE SAME OLD SYSTEM, JUST IN A NEW SHINY SUIT. KICKING NIXON OUT OF OFFICE WAS A VICTORY FOR THE AMERICAN

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"PEOPLE. NIXON STOOD EXPOSED FOR HIS CRIMES AND AS A FAITHFUL SERVANT OF THE RULING CLASS, THE BIG BUSINESSMEN AND BANKERS WHO REALLY RUN THIS COUNTRY. THE AMERICAN PEOPLE ARE OUTRAGED AT WHAT THEY SAW AND IT WAS THIS OUTRAGE THAT FORCED THE RULING CLASS TO FINALLY DUMP NIXON AND BRING ON MR. CLEAN. IN THIS WAY THEY HOPED TO CONVINCE THE PEOPLE THAT THE SYSTEM IS FINE. WE JUST NEED TO GET RID OF A FEW BAD EGGS LIKE TRICKY DICKY AND EVERYTHING WILL BE FINE AGAIN. LOOK, SEE HOW WELL THE SYSTEM WORKS. NIXON'S GONE ISN'T HE? THE SYSTEM IS IN A DEEP CRISIS AND SINKING DEEPER. IT HEADED FOR THE SAME FATE AS ALL OTHER SYSTEMS FOUNDED ON OPPRESSION, THE OPPRESSION OF WORKING PEOPLE, MINORITIES AND SO ON. WHAT THE BOSSES ON TOP ARE TRYING TO DO IS KEEP IT SPUTTERING ALONG JUST A LITTLE LONGER AND TO DO IT THEY ARE GOING TO TRY TO GET EVEN MORE OUT OF OUR HIDES THAN THEY HAVE

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"ALREADY. INFLATION -- UNEMPLOYMENT -- SHORTAGES --
WAGE CONTROLS -- WAR -- POLICE REPRESSION, AND ON AND ON.
"BUT WE VETERANS ARE NOT GOING TO TAKE IT. WE HAVE
BEEN USED AND ABUSED BY OUR GOVERNMENT AND HAVE SUFFERED
A SPECIAL KIND OF OPPRESSION -- SEEING OUR BROTHERS
SLAUGHTERED, SUFFERING WAR DISABILITIES, GETTING
HOOKED ON JUNK, SUFFERING PSYCHOLOGICALLY FROM FIGHTING
IN AN UNJUST WAR AND RETURNING HOME TO NO JOBS, POOR
MEDICAL CARE AND DAMN LITTLE IN THE WAY OF BENEFITS.
WE HAVE HAD ENOUGH.

"WE ARE CALLING ON ALL WORKING AND POOR PEOPLE, STUDENTS
AND OTHERS TO JOIN US SEPTEMBER 6, FRIDAY, AT 5 P.M.,
IN INDEPENDENCE WALL TO CONFRONT FORD, THE CONGRESS, THE
GOVERNORS, RIZZO AND ALL OTHER HACKS ASSEMBLED THERE FOR
THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CONTINENTAL CONGRESS. UNITING
IN A DEMONSTRATION SUCH AS THIS WE CAN BUILD ONE GIGANTIC
FIST WHICH WILL SMASH ANY ATTEMPT TO TAKE AWAY FROM US

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"WHAT IS RIGHTFULLY OURS."

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER
SOLDIER ORGANIZATION.

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OF VIETNAM VETERANS TO PROTEST AMERICAN INVOLVEMENT
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MARXIST-LENINIST ORIENTED AND STRIVE TO EDUCATE
THEIR MEMBERSHIP IN MARXIST-LENINIST DOCTRINE.

PHILADELPHIA POLICE DEPARTMENT, US SECRET SERVICE, AND
USA, EDPA, ADVISED.

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RE PHILADELPHIA TEL SEPTEMBER 3, 1974, CAPTIONED AS
ABOVE, NEW YORK TEL DATED AUGUST 29, 1974, AND PHILADELPHIA
TEL DATED AUGUST 30, 1974, BOTH CAPTIONED 'REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT
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CONTACT SOURCE FOR INFORMATION RE POTENTIAL FOR TAKEOVER OF
BUILDINGS IN PHILADELPHIA BY DEMONSTRATORS.

NEW YORK SHOULD CONTINUE TO BEHAVIORAL SCIENTISTLY DIRECTING
AVAILABLE SOURCES TO TRAVEL TO PHILADELPHIA FOR COVERAGE
OF PLANNED DEMONSTRATION.

PHILADELPHIA IS FOLLOWING WITH LOCAL AND FEDERAL
AUTHORITIES.

BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Jenkins

FROM : J. D. Jamieson

DATE: 8/14/74

SUBJECT: 100TH SESSION
FBI NATIONAL ACADEMY
JANUARY 6 - MARCH 20, 1975

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The purpose of this memorandum is to recommend some special considerations for the 100th Session of the FBI National Academy, which convenes 1/6 and graduates 3/20/75.

There have been several people employed by the FBI, some of whom are in retirement, who have had considerable influence on the direction and development of this program. One of the most significant is former Assistant Director Hugh H. Clegg, who was given the responsibility in 1935 for putting together a faculty and curriculum for the first session. Mr. Clegg continues to be interested in the National Academy program as he was a recent participant in a refresher course here at Quantico, and he attended the Mississippi Chapter retraining session in Greenville, Mississippi, 6/26-27/74. He is still a dynamic, articulate speaker, and we would like to invite him to make some remarks at the graduation exercises on 3/20/75.

Three other retired individuals come to mind as having been associated for many years with the FBI National Academy program: Inspector Jephtha S. Rogers, who supervised the National Academy program for over 17 years; longtime SAC at Quantico, Henry L. Sloan; and SA Howard A. (Butch) Meyers, who ran the physical training program for over 20 years. We would like to invite them as platform guests to be introduced with individual reference to their participation in the development of the National Academy program.

Inspector Charles A. Donelan of the Office of Legal Counsel has been an instructor to National Academy classes since 1952. His unique style is known to thousands of National Academy graduates. We would like to also include him as a platform guest.

Dr. Frontis Johnston, Davidson College, Davidson, North Carolina, has been appearing regularly for 25 years to discuss the Constitution and Bill of Rights with National Academy classes. We would also like to ask him to be a platform guest at graduation.

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Memorandum J. D. Jamieson to Mr. Jenkins
Re: 100th Session
FBINA
1/6 - 3/20/75

As a principal speaker we would like to invite President Gerald R. Ford. As an alternate we recommend The Chief Justice of the United States, Warren E. Burger. It would appear to be appropriate to extend an invitation at least six months in advance and on approval an appropriate letter will be prepared by the Training Division.

We should also take note that in 1975 we will be observing the 40th anniversary of the FBI National Academy program since the first class convened on 7/29/35.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That President Gerald R. Ford be invited to deliver a principal address at the 100th FBI National Academy graduation on 3/20/75.

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2. If the President cannot come, we would like to invite The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Warren E. Burger.

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3. That Mr. Hugh H. Clegg be invited to be a member of the platform party and to make some remarks.

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4. That former Inspector Jephtha S. Rogers, former SAC Henry L. Sloan, and former SA Howard A. Meyers be invited to attend these graduation exercises as our guests and sit on the platform.

Too many - same for the 100th.
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5. That Inspector Charles A. Donelan of the Office of Legal Counsel and Dr. Frontis Johnston, a visiting lecturer from Davidson College, Davidson, North Carolina, also be invited as platform guests at graduation.

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September 3, 1974

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BY LIAISON

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

On March 20, 1975, the 100th FBI National Academy Session will conclude with graduation exercises at the FBI Academy, U. S. Marine Corps Base, Quantico, Virginia. There will be 250 law enforcement officers in this class with representation from each of the 50 states and several foreign countries. It is a rare privilege for me to invite you to deliver the principal address at the graduation ceremonies which will begin at 10:30 a.m. on March 20.

We anticipate an audience of over 1,000 persons including the graduating class, their families, law enforcement associates, and friends. The program usually lasts about an hour and a half and is a highly significant event culminating 11 intensive weeks of training for primarily local, county, and state law enforcement officers.

In 1975 the FBI National Academy program will recognize 40 years of training assistance to over 9,000 graduates. If you can join us to share with the 100th class a recognition of their accomplishments, all of us will be extremely honored and proud.

Sincerely yours,

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FROM PHILADELPHIA (62-5694)

ATTENTION: INTD

VISIT OF PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AND SUPREME COURT TO PHILADELPHIA, SEPTEMBER 6, 1974.

SECRET SERVICE PHILA. ADVISED THIS DATE PRESIDENT FORD WOULD ATTEND AND SPEAK AT BANQUET CLOSING BICENTENIAL OF FIRST CONTINENTAL CONGRESS TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 5, 6, 1974 AT PHILADELPHIA. GOVERNOR OF ORIGINAL THIRTEEN STATES AND CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION WILL ATTEND. PRESIDENT'S EXACT ITINERARY NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME BUT WILL ARRIVE PHILA. AFTERNOON SEPTEMBER 6, 1974 AND RETURN TO WASHINGTON THAT NIGHT.

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PHPD ADVISES THAT IN CONNECTION WITH REPORTED VIETNAM VETERAN AGAINST THE WAR AND REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE INITIATED DEMONSTRATION; INFORMATION RECEIVED THAT DEMONSTRATORS MAY ALSO TRY TO TAKE OVER HISTORIC OR FEDERAL BUILDING IN THE AREA OF INDEPENDENCE HALL.

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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE AUGUST 29, 1974 AND PHILADELPHIA
TELETYPE AUGUST 30, 1974, TITLED REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE.

PHILADELPHIA SOURCES ALERTED AND HAVE FURNISHED MOST OF
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VISIT OF PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AND SUPREME
COURT TO PHILADELPHIA, SEPTEMBER 6, 1974.

RE PH NITEL TO BUREAU SEPTEMBER 3, 1974.

PH CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATIC
IN THE PAST, ADVISED THIS DATE 20 INDIVIDUALS (ALL LOCAL RESIDENTS
PRESENTING REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU), REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE
(RSB), VIETM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), AND PHILADELPHIA
RESISTANCE (PR) MET 7:30 P.M., SEPTEMBER 3, 1974, IN PHILA. TO DIS
CUSS PLANS FOR SEPTEMBER 6, 1974 DEMONSTRATION IN CONNECTION WITH
PRESIDENT'S VISIT. VVAW REPRESENTATIVE CHAIRED MEETING WHICH WAS
RATHER DISORGANIZED. SOURCE STATED PARTICIPANTS ESTIMATE 300 PERS
"FROM THE EAST COAST" WILL TAKE PART IN DEMONSTRATION. PLANS INCL
MARCH COMMENCING 5:00 P.M., SEPTEMBER 6, 1974. ROUTE OF MARCH NOT
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YET ESTABLISHED BY PARTICIPANTS. NO DISCUSSION OF BUILDING TAKE OVER MENTIONED AT MEETING. SOURCE STATED HIS IMPRESSION OF MEETING WAS THAT PARTICIPANTS LACKED KNOWLEDGE OF OVERALL PLANS FOR PRESIDENT'S VISIT OR OF ITINERARY MR. FORD IS TO FOLLOW. THIS IMPRESSION VERIFIED BY PHPD WHO ADVISED INDIVIDUAL REPRESENTING PROTEST GROUP CONTACTED PHPD FOR INFORMATION ON ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED SEPTEMBER 6 1974. THIS REPRESENTATIVE STATED ORGANIZATIONS PLANNED DEMONSTRATION MARCH COMMENCING VICINITY 5TH AND MARKET STS., ENDING 9TH AND CHESTNUT STS., PHILADELPHIA. ENDING POINT WOULD BE APPROXIMATELY FOUR BLOCKS FROM VICINITY OF OFFICIAL ACTIVITIES.

PHILA. SECRET SERVICE ADVISES FINAL ITINERARY FOR PRESIDENT NOT COMPLETE, BUT THAT FORD WILL PROBABLY ARRIVE PHILADELPHIA BY HELICOPTER, LANDING WITHIN 4 BLOCKS OF AREA OF OFFICIAL FESTIVITIES. CONCERNED AGENCIES ARE AWARE OF RESULTS OF SEPTEMBER 3, 1974 MEETING. PHILADELPHIA WILL FOLLOW THIS MATTER CLOSELY AND KEEP THE BUREAU ADVISED.

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Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date

9/5/74

President Ford is scheduled to speak at banquet closing Bicentennial of First Continental Congress being held 9/5-6/74 in Philadelphia (PH). Governors of original 13 states and congressional delegations will attend. PH has previously advised that VVAW (Vietnam veterans organization whose current officers are Marxist-Leninist oriented), Revolutionary Union (RU) (Marxist-Leninist-Maoist revolutionary organization) and Revolutionary Student Brigade (RSB) (RU student-oriented front group) are planning protest demonstrations 9/6/74 in PH, which will include a march and picketing of Independence Hall where President is scheduled to speak, and may include a takeover of an historic or Federal building in immediate area of Independence Hall.

Attached relates meeting held in PH to formulate plans for above demonstrations and it was estimated 300 individuals "from East Coast" will participate. No mention was made of possible takeover of public or historical building. Tentative plans call for march 9/6/74 to end approximately four blocks from vicinity of official activities. Bureau source and PH Police Department advise above groups appear to lack knowledge of overall plans of President's itinerary in PH. Subsequent teletype advises 60-80 RU and RSB members from New York City expected to participate in above demonstration.

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